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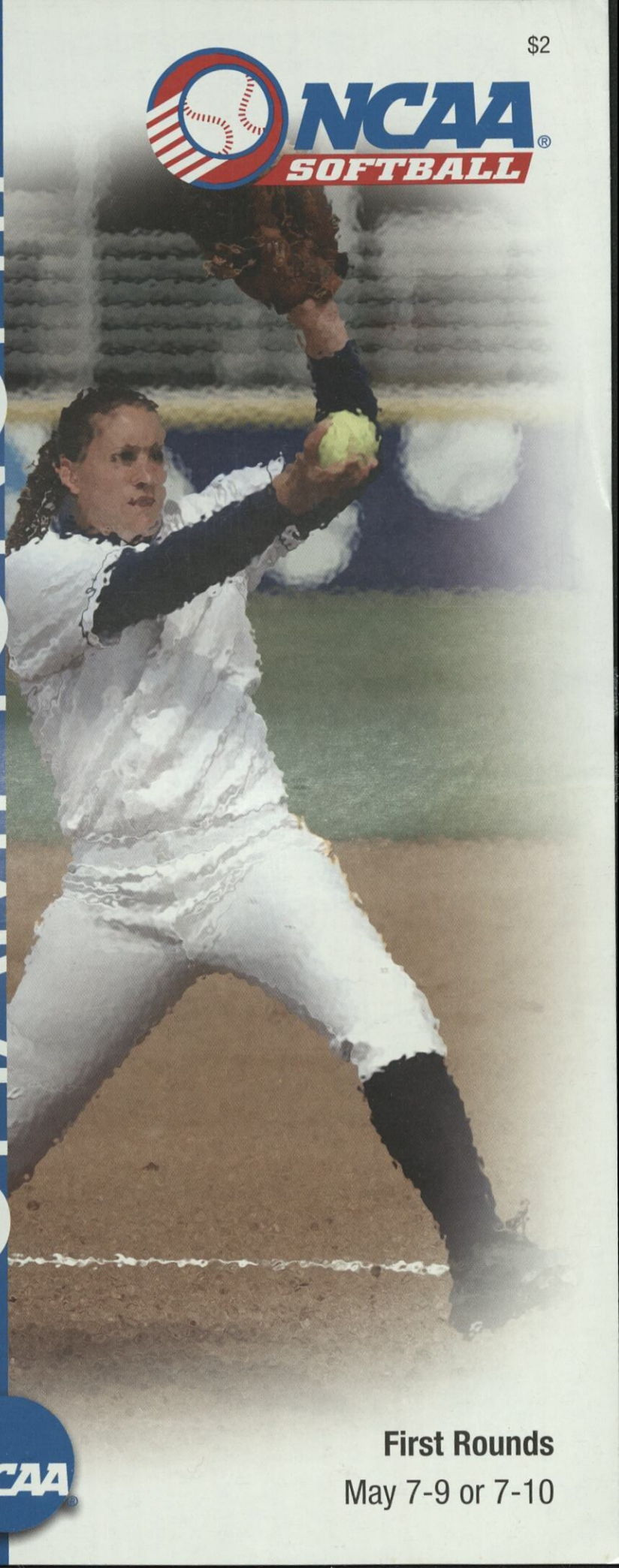

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Division III At A Glance

Diverse membership only part of the story for the NCAA's largest division

Sometimes, NCAA membership divisions are identifiable by the ways in which they differ from each other. But sometimes, those differences tell only part of the story.

There are several notable characteristics that distinguish Division III from the NCAA's other membership classifications, Division I (whose members are required to sponsor the most sports and provide the most athletically related financial aid for student-athletes) and Division II (which offer at least a limited amount of athletically related aid while placing more emphasis on student body participation).

Within that context, it's not surprising that the most apparent characteristic of Division III is this: Members award no scholarships or other financial assistance to student-athletes on the basis of athletic ability, and their athletics departments are staffed and funded like any other department in the university.

But there are other distinctions: Division III is the largest of the three NCAA divisions, with 420 active members plus 10 provisional members. In contrast to Divisions I and II, which feature a majority of publicly funded institutions, 80 percent of Division III members are privately funded.

Division III — By the Numbers

Total members 430
(80 percent private, 20 percent public)

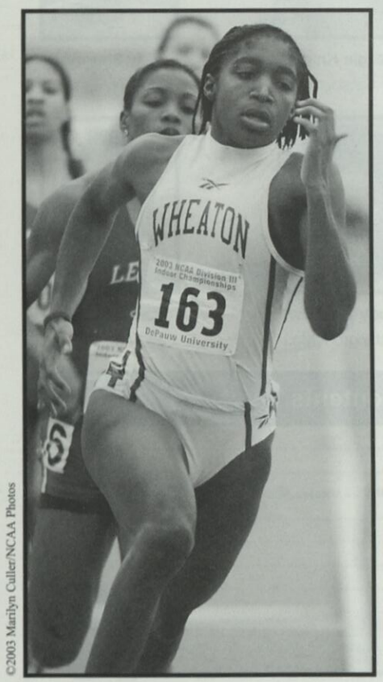
Average undergraduate enrollment
Men 904
Women 1,203
Total 2,107

Average number of student-athletes per Division III institution
Men 191
Women 140

NCAA-sponsored championships for Division III (2003-04)
Men 13
Women 14

Average number of men's and women's sports sponsored per Division III institution
Men 7.9
Women 8.6
Total 16.5

Average athletics expense per institution
With football ..... $1.2 million
Without football ..... $0.7 million



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Even so, the division boasts a distinctive diversity in membership, ranging from small church-affiliated colleges, to liberal arts schools, to research institutions, to state universities. Members also vary in their athletics traditions, commitment to degree of competition and aspirations for athletics success.

All, however, place the highest priority on the overall quality of the educational experience and on ensuring that student-athletes enjoy the same benefits of higher education as all students — and that really is Division III's most distinctive characteristic.

Member institutions seek to establish and maintain an environment in which a student-athlete's athletics activities are just a part — although an important part — of the educational experience. The primary emphasis of a Division III athletics contest is its impact on the participating student-athletes, rather than on spectators.

Division III members encourage widespread participation in athletics by maximizing the number and variety of sports opportunities available to students. They also primarily emphasize competition on the local and regional levels, within conferences and against nearby opponents.

But members also support student-athletes in their efforts to reach high levels of athletic performance — which may include opportunities for participation in national championship competition.

National-championship opportunities in Division III are comparable to those in Divisions I and II. For 2003-04, Division III national-championship competition will be offered in the following sports:

Men	Women
Baseball	Basketball
Basketball	Cross country
Cross Country	Field hockey
Football	Golf
Golf	Ice hockey
Ice hockey	Lacrosse
Lacrosse	Rowing
Soccer	Soccer
Swimming & diving	Softball
Tennis	Swimming & diving
Indoor track	Tennis
Outdoor track	Indoor track
Wrestling	Outdoor track
	Volleyball

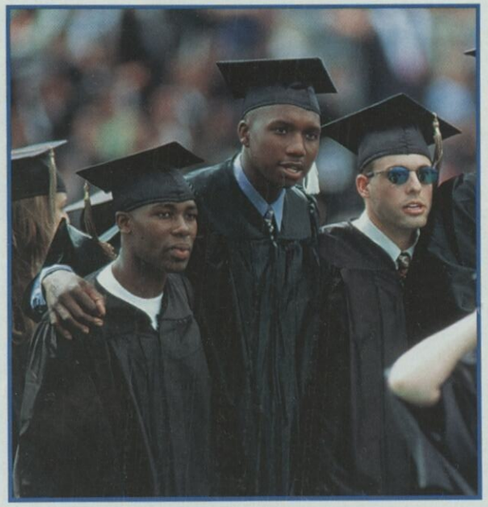
In addition, Division III institutions and student-athletes are eligible to compete in National Collegiate (all division) Championships in women's bowling, men's gymnastics, women's gymnastics, men's volleyball, men's water polo and women's water polo. Coed national championships also are conducted for all divisions in fencing, rifle and skiing.

Integration Key to Positive Athletic Future

Pursuit of excellence drives student-athletes on and off the field

As some of the country's top student-athletes compete for the honor of being crowned a national champion in their respective sport, it can at times be easy to forget that these young men and women also are students in every sense of the word. Daily, they attend classes, write papers and do research — taking part in all the things required of a student in pursuit of a higher education degree.

The student-athletes we watch compete for the national championship titles have given their all to become the nation's elite on the collegiate stage. But at the same time, each and every student-athlete participating in championship competition has dedicated himself or herself in the classroom for the honor of representing his or her institution and community. That dedication is truly the essence of the collegiate model of athletics.



Graduation rates for NCAA student-athletes are at an all-time high.

The NCAA understands the popularity of professional sports in our society, but at the same time research shows the American public supports the educationally based collegiate model and has no desire to see it move toward the professional approach. What the public likes about intercollegiate athletics is the educational environment. The public appreciates and values the connection between athletics participation and academic mission.

The tag word most often associated with the collegiate model is "amateurism." College sports are supposed to be the last bastion of amateur athletics. In the minds of many, institutions of higher learning are supposed to be defenders of this noble concept, the purity of sport for the love of sport.

In truth, amateurism in practice was never as noble and pure as some would claim it should be. The concept as applied to sport was an elitist notion designed to perpetuate class distinctions. The self-righteous baggage associated with amateurism has raised expectations of conducting college sports without revenue, which is an impossible goal.

What the NCAA advocates is the support of the intercollegiate model of sports. This model is firmly grounded in the education of students who participate in athletics. This is the target and should guide how intercollegiate athletics is conducted.

In his first full year as president of the National Collegiate Athletics Association, Myles Brand has remained an advocate for the values that characterize college sports. His platform is clear: integrate intercollegiate athletics into the academic mission of the university.

"The values of participation in college sports — teamwork, self-discipline, pursuit of excellence, learning to lose and win with grace — are important character-development tools that educate us all," said Brand. "Student-athletes are the prime beneficiaries of this developmental education; but all students gain from being exposed to this approach. These values are worthy of preserving and supporting. They are a significant component of the relationship between athletics and education."

As voiced by president Brand and many others, the key way to ensure that the intercollegiate model of athletics will be sustained is mainstreaming athletics into the university. Some institutions have done this already with good results, but a concerted effort on all campuses must be made to ensure its ultimate success.

Many believe the value of athletics to the institution is more in terms of the student-athlete experience, as well as the pride and community building than in generating excess revenues. There is value in the character traits developed through athletics both in terms of the participant and students and other members of the campus community who follow athletics.

But athletics is only a part of the positive experience more than 360,000 young men and women share with their campus communities. The other component happens in the classroom and is equally as valuable. The teamwork, self-discipline and pursuit of excellence that makes them winners on the field of play serve as a catalyst for a successful experience in the classroom.

At the start of the 2003-04 academic year, the NCAA announced the graduation rates for the previous year. The results indicated student-athlete success in the classroom is at an all-time high.

In fact, the most recent data showed the average graduation rate for all student-athletes at all Division I schools as 62 percent — the highest in the dozen years the Department of Education has been collecting the data. That 62 percent is three points higher than the general student body average in Division I. On Division II campuses, student-athletes are graduating seven percentage points higher than their fellow classmates. While at the Division III level student-athletes fall short of the general student body, the group jumped three percentage points this year to narrow the gap from an 11 percentage point difference with their classmates to eight.

The NCAA membership could not be more proud of the accomplishments student-athletes achieve both in the classroom and on the field of play, but special recognition should be awarded to the more than 44,000 student-athletes who have earned the right to compete in the NCAA's 88 championships. This is a special time for the young men and women competing, and each and every one should be congratulated for their commitment to excellence and fair play.

And The Award Goes To...

The student-athlete experience can last a lifetime

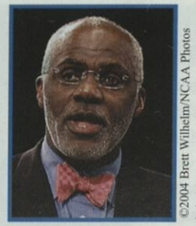
"Teddy" Award

Some may think the pinnacle of collegiate athletics comes by winning a national championship. But people such as Eunice Kennedy Shriver, Bill Cosby, Roger Staubach and Ronald Reagan have proven that posting a personal best after collegiate athletics is the sweetest victory of all.

These national figures are among many great notables who have shown that the impact of the student-athlete experience can last a lifetime. The Theodore Roosevelt Award, also known as the "Teddy," is the highest honor the NCAA may confer on an individual.

From the first award recipient, President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1967, to the 2004 award winner, Alan Page, each individual has demonstrated concern for physical fitness and competitive sport. This yearly award is presented to a former college student-athlete who embraces the values of athletics throughout his or her extraordinary life.

An all-American defensive end at Notre Dame, Page graduated with a bachelor's degree in political science and was drafted by the Minnesota Vikings in 1967. He played in four Super Bowls and was the first defensive player to win the NFL's Most Valuable Player Award. He played for the Vikings until 1978 and then for the Chicago Bears until his retirement in 1981. Page was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1988 and into the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1993.



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Alan Page

While in the NFL, Page also became a law student, graduating from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1978. He was an associate with the law firm of Lindquist & Vennum and an assistant attorney general of the state of Minnesota from 1987 to 1992. Page remains the first and only African-American ever elected to the Minnesota Supreme Court.

Page also has taken an active role in encouraging education. In 1988, he launched the Page Education Foundation, which offers a unique blend of partial scholarships, mentoring and service projects — all intended to encourage Minnesota's youth of color to continue education beyond high school.

Silver Anniversary

When you think of a silver anniversary, you most likely think of celebrating 25 years of marriage or some other monumental life experience. Well, the NCAA celebrates a silver anniversary each year — and in this case it honors the lives of six former student-athletes on their 25th anniversary of competing at the collegiate level.

The NCAA Honors Committee evaluates not only the collegiate athletic achievements of the nominees, but also their professional accomplishments, and work with charitable and civic activities.

Think 25 years since competing in college has slowed down these honorees? Check out a few of the past award recipients and you'll see that these former student-athletes have done anything but slowed down: ESPN correspondent Jack Ford, NBC Sports analyst Pat Haden, the Rev. Jesse Jackson and former NASA astronaut and the first American woman in space, Sally Ride, are just a few of the past award winners who continue to distinguish themselves.

The Silver Anniversary Award honorees and the recipient of the "Teddy" award clearly show that success on the field, in the pool or on the court often translates into a victory in the professional or civic arena.

Today's Top VIII

The Today's Top VIII Award provides the Association with the opportunity to honor eight remarkable senior student-athletes, male and female, for their outstanding leadership, character and achievements both in the classroom and on the playing field. Past winners include sports phenoms such as Rebecca Lobo, Peyton Manning, Cheryl Miller, David Robinson and Jenny Thompson.

The honorees for 2004 continued the tradition of achieving impressive goals during their college years. This year's selections include the 2003 Division II Scholar-Athlete of the Year; the 2003 Academic all-American of the Year for men's track and field; a three-time Big Ten Conference all-academic team selection; the 1999 and 2000 national collegiate women's gymnastics all-around champion; the 2003 College Sports Television Network player of the year; the 2003 Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award winner as the top senior quarterback; the Southeastern Conference Scholar-Athlete of the Year and a member of the gymnastics national championship team in 2001 and 2003.

In addition to their athletics accomplish-

Award Winners

Theodore Roosevelt Award	Alan Page, University of Notre Dame
Silver Anniversary Awards	Trish Millines Dziko, Monmouth University
	Bruce Furniss, University of Southern California
	Virginia Anne Gilder, Yale University
	Stacey Johnson, San Jose State University
	Gregory Kelser, Michigan State University
	Kellen Winslow, University of Missouri, Columbia
Today's Top VIII Awards	Alice (Duesing) Nightingale, Lake Superior State University
	Andrew Hilliard, University of St. Thomas (Minnesota)
	Craig Krenzel, Ohio State University
	Theresa Kulikowski, University of Utah
	Kara Lawson, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
	Eli Manning, University of Mississippi
	Kristin Sterner, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
	Leoandra (Willis) Rogers, University of California, Los Angeles
Valor Award	Jimmy Baxter, University of South Florida
Inspiration Awards	Heather Denison, University of Portland
	Emily Miller, University of Tennessee at Martin
	Mike Nyeholt, University of Southern California
2003 NCAA Woman of the Year	Ashley Jo Rowatt, Kenyon College
President's Gerald R. Ford Award	Theodore M. Hesburgh, University of Notre Dame

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ments, the NCAA Today's Top VIII recipients have earned numerous academic honors, have volunteered countless hours to community projects and have served as role models for their academic institutions and to their peers.

Inspiration Award

At the 2004 Honors Dinner, the NCAA presented the Inspiration Award for the third time. This award may be presented to a coach or administrator currently associated with intercollegiate athletics, or to a current or former varsity letterwinner at an NCAA college or university who, when confronted with a life-altering situation, used perseverance, dedication and determination to overcome the event and now serves as a role model to give hope and inspiration to others in similar situations.

The Inspiration Award honorees for 2004 certainly fit that description. Chosen were Heather Denison, a volleyball student-athlete at the University of Portland, who persevered through a challenging and tumultuous childhood and is on track toward earning a college degree and making a better life for herself; Emily Miller, a University of Tennessee at Martin soccer student-athlete, who experienced a major setback in life due to a cancer diagnosis, but continues to strive toward her personal and academic goals; and Mike Nyeholt, a former swimmer at the University of Southern California, who is an inspiration to athletes who have experienced paralysis and other physical challenges with his annual fundraising event — Swim With Mike. Each year, the Inspiration Award honorees stress that although you experience trials and tribulations in your life, it doesn't mean it is time to give up. Complete biographies of the Inspiration Award honorees can be found at www.ncaa.org.

Valor Award

At the 2004 Honors Dinner, the NCAA presented its Valor Award to Jimmy Baxter, a basketball and track and field student-athlete at the University of South Florida. The Valor Award recognizes a coach, administrator or current or former student-athlete who, when confronted with a situation involving personal danger, averted or minimized the potential danger by courageous action or noteworthy bravery.

Baxter was honored for his thoughtfulness and his heroics. While driving on a rainy night to St. Petersburg to visit family, Baxter witnessed a car skid off the highway, overturn and land in a drainage ditch. With the water level rising in the car, Baxter tried to break the car window to free the two passengers, but wasn't able to jar the glass. In the rain, he ran to the highway to flag down motorists for additional help. After several minutes passed, a motorist finally stopped and offered Baxter a crowbar to break the glass. Baxter returned to the car, broke the window and saved the two individuals from the rising water level inside the vehicle. More details of Baxter's heroic efforts and can be found at www.ncaa.org.

NCAA Woman of the Year

Another award the NCAA bestows is the NCAA Woman of the Year. For the past 13 years, the NCAA has given this award, honoring many of the best and brightest female student-athletes at the Woman of the Year Awards Dinner.

The NCAA Woman of the Year Award celebrates the achievements of 51 female student-athletes from Division I, II and III institutions for their successes in academics, athletics and community service. The Woman of the Year Dinner honors an outstanding student-athlete from each state (plus the District of Columbia) and bestows one with the prestigious title of NCAA Woman of the Year.

The NCAA selected Ashley Jo Rowatt, a swimming and diving standout at Kenyon College, as the 2003 NCAA Woman of the Year. Rowatt, a native of Louisville, Kentucky, graduated summa cum laude with highest honors and a 3.6 grade point average in molecular biology.

What does it take to be the NCAA Woman of the Year? At the 2003 event, the 10 finalists included two NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship recipients and eight finalists who are or were involved with NCAA Student-Athlete Advisory Committees (SAAC) on their campuses and in their conferences.

The finalists were volunteers who worked with Special Olympics, collected food and supplies for a sexual assault and domestic violence center, participated in mission trips to Mexico, tutored children with special needs and more.

The 2003 finalists, who had an average GPA of 3.82 on a 4.000 scale, were pursuing or have graduated with degrees in majors such as neuroscience, finance, molecular biology, civil engineering and physical education.

Jimmy Baxter and Ashley Jo Rowatt were both honored by the NCAA.

NCAA President's Gerald R. Ford Award

The NCAA President's Gerald R. Ford Award, named in recognition of former University of Michigan football player and President of the United States Gerald Ford, honors an individual who has provided significant leadership as an advocate for intercollegiate athletics on a continuous basis over the course of their career.

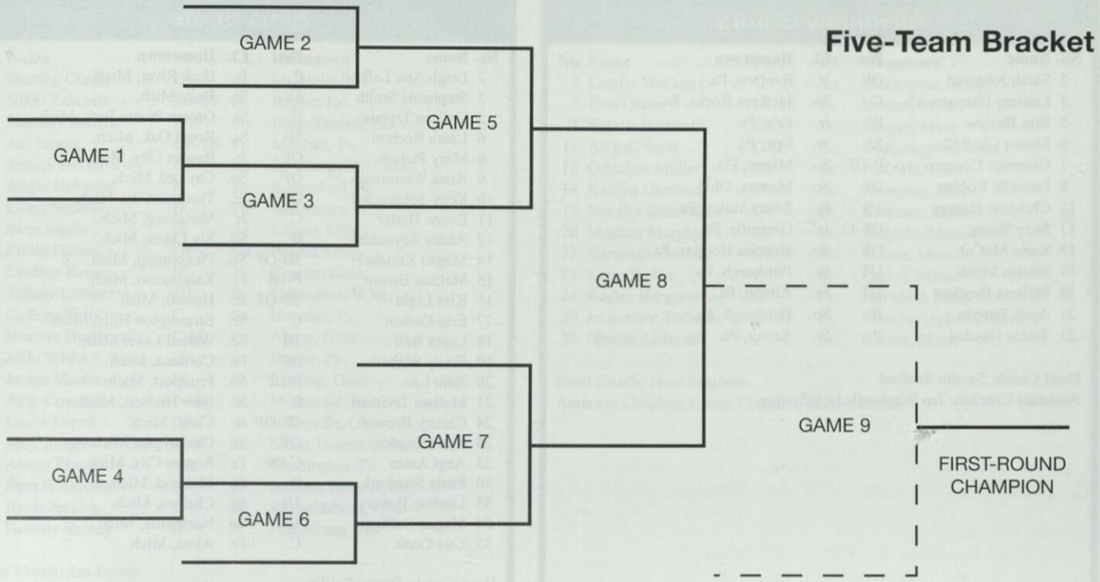
The NCAA presented its inaugural President's Gerald R. Ford Award to Reverend Theodore M. Hesburgh, president emeritus of the University of Notre Dame, during the Opening Business Session at its 2004 Convention held in Nashville.

Hesburgh's 35-year career as president at Notre Dame enabled him to be a major influence on higher education. Among his many contributions to advance the role of college sports within higher education was his service as co-chair of the Knight Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics, which studied reform in college sports. Hesburgh has received the Congressional Gold Medal, 150 honorary degrees and has held 16 Presidential appointments during his career involving a number of social issues, including civil rights, peaceful uses of atomic energy and Third World development.

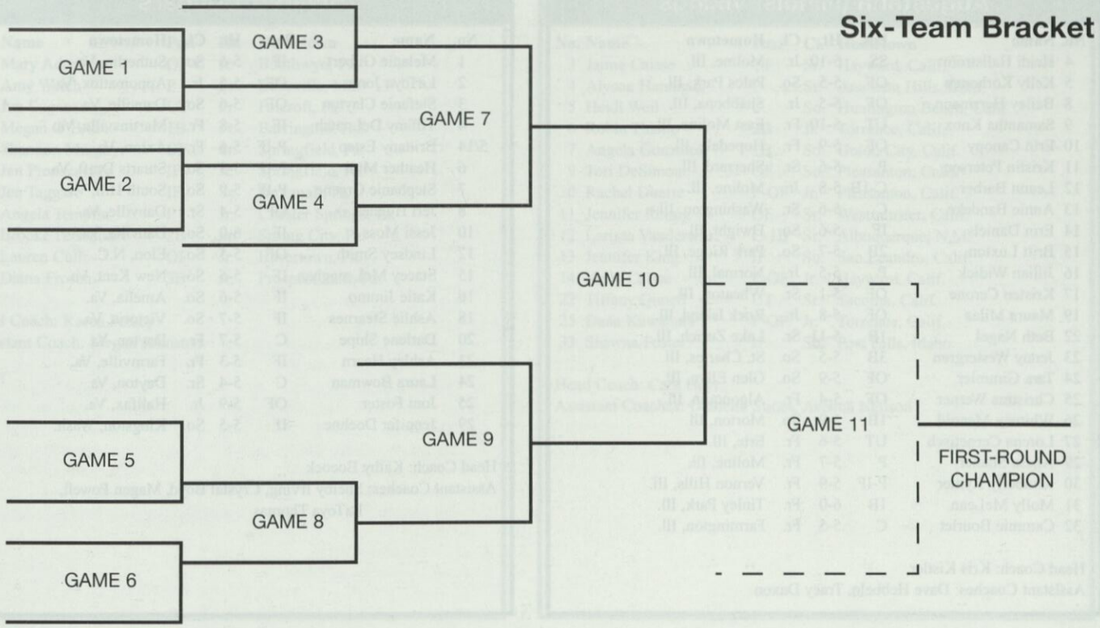
Regional Brackets

2004 NCAA Division III Softball Championship

Five-Team Bracket



Six-Team Bracket



Allegheny Gators

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Sarah Johnston	OF	Jr.	Renfrew, Pa.
3	Lindsay Gasparovich	C	So.	McKees Rocks, Pa.
5	Erin Bastow	IF	Jr.	Erie, Pa.
6	Shawn Gledhill	SS	Sr.	Erie, Pa.
7	Giannina Coccaro	P-OF	So.	Miami, Fla.
8	Danielle Robine	OF	So.	Mantua, Ohio
12	Christine Harvey	1B	Fr.	Sweet Valley, Pa.
13	Suzy Young	OF-C	Jr.	Glenville, Pa.
15	Katie McCue	OF	So.	Natrona Heights, Pa.
17	Jessica Monti	UT	Sr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
18	Melissa Brockett	UT	Fr.	Albion, Pa.
21	April Tantalo	IF	So.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
23	Tracie Gaydos	P	Sr.	Sarver, Pa.

Head Coach: Sandra Sanford
Assistant Coaches: Jen Wardwell, Jack Steiger

Alma Scots

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Leigh Ann LaFave	P	Jr.	Bark River, Mich.
3	Stephanie Smith	SS	Sr.	Holt, Mich.
5	Colleen Trybus	IF	Sr.	Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.
6	Laura Rochon	3B	Sr.	Royal Oak, Mich.
8	Mary Pietsch	OF	Jr.	Rogers City, Mich.
9	Anne Westerman	OF	So.	Gaylord, Mich.
10	Kelly Schmuckal	OF	Sr.	Traverse City, Mich.
11	Eileen Butler	C	Jr.	Vestaburg, Mich.
12	Audra Reynolds	IF	So.	Six Lakes, Mich.
14	Megan Knochel	3B-OF	So.	Pinconning, Mich.
15	Melissa Brown	P-1B	Fr.	Kalamazoo, Mich.
16	Kim Light	2B-OF	Jr.	Howell, Mich.
17	Erin Carson	C	Sr.	Farmington Hills, Mich.
18	Laura Bell	3B	So.	Walled Lake, Mich.
19	Emily Blahnik	OF	Fr.	Corunna, Mich.
20	Julie Lee	P-OF	So.	Fruitport, Mich.
21	Melissa Tavidian	P	Jr.	New Hudson, Mich.
24	Christy Brewer	1B-OF	Jr.	Clare, Mich.
25	Katie Eustice	OF	Sr.	Cheboygan, Mich.
28	Angi Asam	C-OF	Fr.	Rogers City, Mich.
30	Paula Stanford	P	Sr.	Midland, Mich.
33	Lindsay Powers	1B	Sr.	Chelsea, Mich.
34	Megan Colligan	1B	So.	Northville, Mich.
35	Lisa Cook	C	Fr.	Alma, Mich.

Head Coach: Denny Griffin
Assistant Coaches: Phil Hansen, Brandee Brower, Rachel Franks

Augustana (Illinois) Vikings

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
4	Heidi Hallstrom	SS	5-10	Jr.	Moline, Ill.
5	Kelly Korhonen	OF	5-5	So.	Palos Park, Ill.
8	Bailey Herrmann	OF	5-5	Jr.	Shabbona, Ill.
9	Samantha Knox	UT	5-10	Fr.	East Moline, Ill.
10	Erin Canopy	OF	5-9	Fr.	Hopedale, Ill.
11	Kristin Peterson	P	5-6	Sr.	Sherrard, Ill.
12	Leann Barber	C-1B	5-8	Jr.	Moline, Ill.
13	Annie Bandeko	C	5-6	Sr.	Washington, Ill.
14	Erin Daniels	IF	5-6	So.	Dwight, Ill.
15	Britt Luxton	2B	5-7	So.	Park Ridge, Ill.
16	Jillian Widick	P	5-5	Jr.	Normal, Ill.
17	Kristen Cerone	OF	5-1	Sr.	Wheaton, Ill.
19	Maura Milas	OF	5-8	Jr.	Rock Island, Ill.
22	Beth Nagel	1B	5-11	Sr.	Lake Zurich, Ill.
23	Jenny Westergren	3B	5-5	So.	St. Charles, Ill.
24	Tara Gimmler	OF	5-9	So.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
25	Christina Werner	OF	5-4	Fr.	Algonquin, Ill.
26	Whitney Menold	1B	5-9	So.	Morton, Ill.
27	Lorena Cernetisch	UT	5-6	Fr.	Erie, Ill.
29	Alissa Shaner	P	5-7	Fr.	Moline, Ill.
30	Kimberly Rymer	P-IF	5-9	Fr.	Vernon Hills, Ill.
31	Molly McLean	1B	6-0	Fr.	Tinley Park, Ill.
32	Cammie Bourlet	C	5-5	Fr.	Farmington, Ill.

Head Coach: Kris Kistler
Assistant Coaches: Dave Hebbeln, Tracy Daxon

Averett Cougars

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Melanie Gilbert	IF	5-6	So.	Sutherlin, Va.
2	LaToya Jones	OF	5-5	Jr.	Appomattox, Va.
3	Stefanie Clayton	OF	5-6	So.	Danville, Va.
4	Tiffany DeLoatch	IF	5-8	Fr.	Martinsville, Va.
5/14	Brittany Estep	P-IF	5-6	Fr.	Axton, Va.
6	Heather Mull	P-IF	5-3	So.	Stuarts Draft, Va.
7	Stephanie Greene	P-IF	5-9	So.	South Hill, Va.
8	Jeri Hughes	OF	5-4	Sr.	Danville, Va.
10	Jessi Moss	IF	6-0	So.	Danville, Va.
12	Lindsey Smith	OF	5-5	So.	Elon, N.C.
15	Stacey McLenaghan	IF	5-6	So.	New Kent, Va.
16	Katie Jimmo	IF	5-6	So.	Amelia, Va.
18	Ashlie Stearnes	IF	5-7	So.	Victoria, Va.
20	Darlene Shipe	C	5-7	Fr.	Dayton, Va.
23	Ashley Hearn	IF	5-3	Fr.	Farmville, Va.
24	Laura Bowman	C	5-4	Sr.	Dayton, Va.
25	Joni Foster	OF	5-9	Jr.	Halifax, Va.
29	Jennifer Doehne	IF	5-5	So.	Kingston, Wash.

Head Coach: Kathy Bocock
Assistant Coaches: Shelby Irving, Crystal Boyd, Magen Powell, LaToya Thomas

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Bethany (West Virginia) Bison

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Destiny Clarke	OF	Sr.	Mt. Holly, N.J.
2	Nikki Zalaznik	2B-OF	Fr.	Buglar, Pa.
3	Romney Waters	P-IF	So.	Burgettstown, Pa.
5	Juli Strang	OF-1B	Fr.	Munhall, Pa.
6	Jessica DeGrava	OF	Fr.	St. Clairsville, Ohio
7	Angie DeSantis	P	So.	Royersford, Pa.
9	Laura Skelton	IF	Fr.	Jamestown, N.Y.
10	Sami Steele	IF	So.	Edison, Ohio
12	Emily Patton	OF	So.	Poland, Ohio
13	Lindsey Keese	IF	Jr.	Conifer, Colo.
14	Tiffany Latimer	1B	Fr.	Follansbee, W.Va.
15	Colleen Kelly	C	So.	Houston, Pa.
17	Heather Henthorn	C-IF	Fr.	Akron, Ohio
18	Jacki White	IF	Jr.	Beaver, Pa.
20	Janice Masters	IF	Sr.	Lansing, Ohio
21	Amy Cowden	P-1B	Fr.	McDonald, Pa.
22	Leslie Lopez	OF	Sr.	Dillonvale, Ohio
23	Amy Stoner	C-OF	Sr.	Moon Township, Pa.
25	Alexis Riggle	OF	Fr.	Washington, Pa.
28	Beth Wichrowski	IF	Sr.	Natrona Heights, Pa.
39	Heidi Jenkins	C-IF	Fr.	Reynoldsburg, Ohio
44	Heather Bainey	IF	Jr.	Philipsburg, Pa.

Head Coach: Jan Forsty
Assistant Coaches: Sarah Karolski, Dana Bernacki, Jim Petrel

Bridgewater State Bears

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
5	Lauren McCourt	UT	So.	Blackstone, Mass.
7	Kim Olson	OF-IF	Jr.	Boston, Mass.
8	Natalie Barbanti	OF	Jr.	Saugus, Mass.
11	Abigail Scott	C-IF	So.	Southampton, Mass.
13	Gretchen Muller	SS	Sr.	Fiskdale, Mass.
14	Kaitlyn Gambino	P	So.	Abington, Mass.
17	Jennifer Quental	UT	Jr.	Swansea, Mass.
20	Meghan Murphy	1B	So.	Walpole, Mass.
22	Elizabeth Hallisey	OF-IF	Fr.	Milton, Mass.
23	Katie Tauber	P	So.	Carver, Mass.
24	Kaylee Hargreaves	IF	Fr.	Norwood, Mass.
29	Jacqueline Thibault	IF-OF	Fr.	West Springfield, Mass.
30	Natalia Ardagna	C	Sr.	Revere, Mass.

Head Coach: Janet Maguire
Assistant Coaches: Carrie Consalvi, Jack Pistorino

Cabrini Lady Cavaliers

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown
5	Mary Adam	OF-C	Jr.	Boothwyn, Pa.
6	Amy Welch	P	So.	Beltsville, Md.
10	Jen Euganeo	UT	Fr.	Folcroft, Pa.
12	Megan O'Brien	1B	Fr.	Barrington, N.J.
14	Shannon Murphy	OF	Sr.	Springfield, Pa.
18	Jen Prenderville	IF	Jr.	Springfield, Pa.
21	Jen Taggart	IF	So.	Broomall, Pa.
22	Angela Templin	P	Jr.	Chester Springs, Pa.
24	Brooke Peterdozzi	2B	Sr.	Spring City, Pa.
32	Lauren Cull	OF	Jr.	Havertown, Pa.
44	Diana Frosch	3B	Jr.	Prospect Park, Pa.

Head Coach: Karen Pelkey
Assistant Coach: Megan Johnston

Cal State Hayward Pioneers

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
3	Jaime Caisse	OF	Sr.	Hayward, Calif.
4	Alyson Hannigan	P	Sr.	Anaheim Hills, Calif.
5	Heidi Weil	C	So.	Huntington Beach, Calif.
6	Robin Thistle	2B	Jr.	Torrence, Calif.
7	Angela Gonzales	1B	So.	Union City, Calif.
9	Tori DeSimone	OF	So.	Pleasanton, Calif.
10	Rachel Duarte	P-OF	Jr.	Pleasanton, Calif.
11	Jennifer Reinig	OF	Sr.	Westminster, Calif.
12	Larissa Vanderwilt	C-1B	Sr.	Albuquerque, N.M.
13	Jennifer King	IF	So.	San Leandro, Calif.
14	Kelly Caisse	P-OF	Jr.	Hayward, Calif.
22	Tiffany Qunell	UT	Sr.	Tacoma, Calif.
25	Dana Kuwahara	P-OF	Jr.	Torrence, Calif.
33	Shawna Foster	IF	So.	Post Falls, Idaho

Head Coach: Cara Hoyt
Assistant Coaches: Danielle Stines, Avelina Neilson

Central (Iowa) Dutch

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
4	Jenna Daale	UT	5-4	Fr.	Hawarden, Iowa
6	Abby Frye	IF	5-10	So.	Charles City, Iowa
7	Laura Anderson	SS-OF	5-8	Fr.	Fairfield, Iowa
9	Kristin Wares	2B	5-9	So.	Pella, Iowa
11	Bri Kuyper	OF	5-1	Jr.	Urbandale, Iowa
12	Amanda Wilson	P	5-8	So.	Delevan, Ill.
13	Rebekah Ramsey	P-OF	5-5	Fr.	Des Moines, Iowa
15	Holly Edwards	OF	5-9	Jr.	Pella, Iowa
16	Tina Shimak	C	5-5	Fr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
17	Emily Vaughan	P	5-8	Fr.	Des Moines, Iowa
20	Becky Hedges	OF	5-8	Sr.	Central City, Iowa
23	Trista Leaming	OF	5-2	So.	Altoona, Iowa
24	Katy Lein	OF-3B	5-5	Sr.	Urbandale, Iowa
26	Stef Miller	C	5-5	Sr.	Sioux City, Iowa
27	Anne Legg	1B	5-9	Jr.	Ames, Iowa
28	Kara Hanson	OF-PR	5-8	Jr.	Cedar Falls, Iowa
29	Dawn Nissen	SS-OF	5-5	Fr.	Princeton, Ill.
30	Corrie Schmidt	P	5-9	Jr.	Ankeny, Iowa
32	Katie Boyington	C	5-4	So.	Sac City, Iowa
33	Beth Peterson	SS	5-7	Sr.	Ames, Iowa

Head Coach: George Wares
Assistant Coaches: Teresa Thompson, Denise Barnard

Chapman Panthers

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
0	Krissy Bracken	IF	5-10	Fr.	Yorba Linda, Calif.
1	Kailee Roeser	OF	5-4	So.	River Forest, Ill.
2	Stacy Sherman	OF	5-6	So.	Escondido, Calif.
3	Cassie Dunn	P	5-6	Sr.	Susanville, Calif.
4	Ashlie Vohs	C	5-6	Jr.	Las Vegas, Nev.
6	Katherine Searing	IF	5-7	So.	Arcadia, Calif.
7	Melissa Simerlink	IF	5-7	Sr.	Tustin, Calif.
8	Jill Jeranko	IF	5-5	So.	San Clemente, Calif.
12	Erin Bryant	P	5-7	So.	Puyallup, Wash.
13	Sandra Burns	UT	5-3	Fr.	Anaheim, Calif.
14	Meredith Cipolla	C-IF	5-7	So.	Pleasanton, Calif.
15	Allison Lewis	P-OF	5-6	Fr.	Irvine, Calif.
16	Brittany Ziegler	UT	5-5	Sr.	Irvine, Calif.
17	Keely Starr	OF	5-3	Jr.	El Segundo, Calif.
18	Jillion Butchko	IF	5-8	Sr.	Eagle Rock, Calif.
19	Kristy Smith	IF	5-5	Jr.	Big Bear, Calif.
21	Maggie Wilder	P-IF	5-7	Fr.	Bakersfield, Calif.
25	Marissa Becerra	P	5-2	So.	Orange, Calif.

Head Coach: Janet Lloyd
Assistant Coaches: Monica Colunga, Doug Aiken, Sandy Britt, Greg Crandall

Chicago Maroons

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jessica Mayhew	IF	Fr.	Plymouth, N.H.
3/32	Hannah Roberts	P-OF	So.	Scottsville, Ky.
4/5	Kayti Fuhr	IF	So.	Sherman, Ill.
7/25	Nancy Bugajski	2B-OF	Fr.	Chicago, Ill.
8	Morgan Muir	OF-C	Fr.	South Pasadena, Calif.
10	Carla Blauvelt	OF	Sr.	Farmville, Va.
11	Rachel Cohen	1B	So.	Barrington, Ill.
12/32	Laurin Fabry	OF-3B	Fr.	Hoffman Estates, Ill.
13	Lauren Hula	P-1B	Fr.	East Lansing, Mich.
14/15	Julie Wiorkowski	2B	Jr.	Palos Heights, Ill.
16/24	Kara Thaw	OF-IF	So.	St. Louis, Mo.
17/23	Annie Yaniga	C-OF	Jr.	Berea, Ohio
20	Jessica Hinojosa	P-OF	Fr.	Hacienda Heights, Calif.
21	Randi Leppla	C-OF	So.	Germantown, Ohio
22/50	Petra Wade	P	Fr.	Batavia, Ill.
30	Ariana Gadd	OF	Sr.	Altadena, Calif.
40/44	Kate Rhodes	C-UT	So.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

Head Coach: Ruth Kmak
Assistant Coach: Kelly Ostler

Clarke Crusaders

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Rita Ostrowski	OF	5-3	Sr.	Woodridge, Ill.
2	Patricia LoVerde	OF	5-3	Jr.	Chicago, Ill.
3	Ann Kluesner	OF	5-2	Fr.	Dubuque, Iowa
4	Tami Phillips	IF	5-3	So.	Waterloo, Iowa
5	Christine Steines	C-IF	5-9	Sr.	Dubuque, Iowa
6	Jenni Christopher	P-UT	5-4	Jr.	Decorah, Iowa
7	Staci Jefko	C-OF	5-4	Fr.	Wonder Lake, Ill.
8	Kendall Marszalek	OF	5-5	So.	Galena, Ill.
9	Ann Miller	P-UT	5-7	Fr.	Decorah, Iowa
10	Sara Griffin	C-OF	5-4	Fr.	Montrose, Iowa
11	Amber Prosser	P-UT	5-4	So.	Columbus, Wis.
12	Annette Bielema	P-UT	5-7	Sr.	Thomson, Ill.
13	Beth Hansen	SS	5-8	So.	Central City, Iowa
14	Laura Applegate	OF	5-6	Fr.	Rockford, Ill.
15	Cassie Baker	C-IF	5-3	Fr.	Maquoketa, Iowa
17	Erin Bubenyak	C-IF	5-5	Fr.	Wilton, Iowa
18	Melissa Fessler	IF	5-10	Fr.	Durango, Iowa
19	Jill Slater	P-UT	5-6	Fr.	Colesburg, Iowa
20	Tabitha Blake	IF	5-7	Fr.	Bellevue, Iowa
21	Bridget Hollingsworth	SS	5-9	So.	Richland, Iowa
22	Emily Herman	IF	5-7	Fr.	New Providence, Iowa
26	Melissa Riesberg	IF	5-2	Jr.	Dyersville, Iowa
32	Jodi Langel	IF	5-11	Fr.	LeMars, Iowa

Head Coach: Cara Clark
Assistant Coach: Amie Wilson

Cortland State Red Dragons

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
3	Pip Colombo	2B	Sr.	Williamsville, N.Y.
4	Jill Seymour	C	Sr.	Conklin, N.Y.
5	Amber Ortolano	OF	Jr.	Tonawanda, N.Y.
6	Kate Yaun	OF	Fr.	Liberty, N.Y.
7	Kim Huson	OF	Jr.	Binghamton, N.Y.
8	Keri Banta	C	Jr.	Washingtonville, N.Y.
9	Christine Devine	UT	Fr.	Castelton, N.Y.
10	Carin Piacente	1B	Sr.	Putnam Valley, N.Y.
11	Stephanie Adamshick	P	So.	Milton, N.Y.
12	Nicole Fredericks	SS	So.	West Babylon, N.Y.
13	Dominique Talbot	1B	Fr.	Rockville Centre, N.Y.
14	Ang D'Amboise	P	Fr.	Ballston Lake, N.Y.
15	Jen Rockwell	OF	So.	Scotia, N.Y.
16	Lara Almansberger	P	Sr.	Fairport, N.Y.
17	Kaylin VanDusen	IF	So.	Schuyler, N.Y.
18	Erika Cremona	P	Jr.	Mastic Beach, N.Y.
19	Erin Bock	3B	Jr.	East Hampton, N.Y.
20	Carisa Gaylardo	2B	Jr.	West Babylon, N.Y.
21	Megan Dore	3B	Fr.	Staatsburg, N.Y.
22	Blythe Beecher	C	Fr.	Corning, N.Y.
23	Lara Stone	SS	Sr.	Windsor, N.Y.
24	Rudy Loiacono	OF	So.	Williamsville, N.Y.

Head Coach: Julie Lenhart
Assistant Coaches: Tara Schanbacher, Maria McFeely, Brad Posner

Defiance Yellow Jackets

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Alicia Allen	OF-P	Fr.	Grafton, Ohio
2	Jessie Smith	C	Fr.	Attica, Ohio
3	Jessica Szuch	IF	Fr.	Lorain, Ohio
4	Logan Graher	OF	Fr.	Covington, Ohio
6	Monica Sigurdson	3B	Fr.	Oregon, Ohio
7	Jill Dalessandro	2B	Jr.	Orrville, Ohio
8	Dena Williams	P-OF	So.	Lima, Ohio
9	Erin Claybaugh	OF	So.	Kenton, Ohio
10	Julie Steineman	OF-1B	So.	New Bremen, Ohio
11	Nikki Thiel	UT-DH	Sr.	Edgerton, Ohio
12	Jessica Deere	C	Sr.	Urbana, Ohio
14	Chris Moreo	SS	Jr.	Delphos, Ohio
15	Kacy VanderHorst	3B	Jr.	Celina, Ohio
16	Sara Hunter	P-OF	So.	Cloverdale, Ohio
17	Kalette Peters	1B	Jr.	Arcanum, Ohio
20	Renee Steffen	IF	Fr.	Leipsic, Ohio
21	Sarah Kuhn	IF	Sr.	Defiance, Ohio
23	Mandy Crank	P-1B	Fr.	Camden, Ohio
24	Kelly VanderHorst	C	Jr.	Celina, Ohio

Head Coach: Kary Kankey

East Texas Baptist Tigers

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Kristen Abernathy	P	5-4	Sr.	Independence, Mo.
2	Amy Lockhart	P	5-2	So.	Bedford, Texas
3	Christy Shipley	SS-P	5-6	Fr.	Longview, Texas
4	Lexi Langley	OF	5-3	Sr.	Elysian Fields, Texas
5	Tonya Minor	OF	5-1	Sr.	Bullard, Texas
6	Jennifer Doyal	IF	5-1	Sr.	Kingwood, Texas
7	Jessica Gould	IF	5-4	Jr.	Pasadena, Texas
8	Ashley Stout	P	5-8	Fr.	Forney, Texas
10	Janna Wilson	DR	5-2	Fr.	Longview, Texas
13	Ashley Elliott	C	5-5	Fr.	Red Oak, Texas
17	Meredith Flies	P	5-7	Fr.	Garland, Texas
18	Lizzie Wunsch	DR	5-4	So.	Carrollton, Texas
19	Carrie Mills	P	5-9	Sr.	Bridge City, Texas
20	Angela Gonzales	C	5-9	Sr.	Magnolia, Texas
22	Janae Schlabs	OF	5-9	Jr.	Hereford, Texas
25	Mandie McConnell	OF-P	5-8	Sr.	Cedar Park, Texas
26	Allison Ratcliff	DP	6-0	So.	Marshall, Texas
27	Holley Martin	1B	5-4	Jr.	Lewisville, Texas
33	Sarah Tackett	IF	5-6	So.	Flower Mound, Texas

Head Coach: Kent Reeves
Assistant Coaches: Bill Galloway, Brian Haught

Edgewood Eagles

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jessica Stephens	IF	Fr.	St. Charles, Ill.
2	Andrea Runde	P-3B-C	Sr.	Dubuque, Iowa
3	Carrie Clum	OF	Fr.	Arvada, Colo.
4	Brittany Butcher	P-OF	Fr.	St. Charles, Ill.
5	Hannah Diedrich	OF	Sr.	Shullsburg, Wis.
6	Katie Hensgen	IF-OF	Jr.	Waunakee, Wis.
7/8	Jamie Mulder	OF	Sr.	Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
9	Kristin Borre	P	Fr.	Beloit, Wis.
10	Suann Adler	SS	Sr.	Waunakee, Wis.
12	Jessica Brink	1B-DH	Sr.	Hazel Green, Wis.
13	Christine Kohlman	P-OF	Jr.	Prairie du Sac, Wis.
16	Becky Warden	1B-P	Fr.	Beloit, Wis.
18	Stacey McPhail	3B-P	Fr.	Lancaster, Wis.
19/22	Tammy Johnson	IF	Sr.	Franklin Park, Ill.
20/15	Jennifer Ley	OF-DH	So.	Mineral Point, Wis.
21	Noelle Wimer	1B	Fr.	Dodgeville, Wis.

Head Coach: J.P. Richards
Assistant Coaches: Mike Shult, Lyman Martin

Emory Eagles

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
00	Mary Nicol	C-OF	5-4	Jr.	Barrington, Ill.
1	Christine O'Brien	P	5-4	Jr.	Feasterville, Pa.
2	Emily Sunshine	OF	5-8	So.	Evanston, Ill.
3	Amanda Glowacky	C	5-4	Fr.	Blairstown, N.J.
4	Tracey Summa	SS	5-5	Jr.	Louisville, Ky.
5	Kate Thomas	P	5-5	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
6	Nicole Kovski	P-OF	5-7	Sr.	Wilmette, Ill.
7	Jennifer Harrigan	IF	5-7	Jr.	Indian Harbour Beach, Fla.
8	Lauren Wald	2B	5-4	Fr.	Naples, Fla.
11	Betsy Bruinsma	OF	5-3	Fr.	Grand Rapids, Mich.
12	Katie Donovan	OF	5-8	Jr.	Littleton, Colo.
13	Lauren Haag	SS	5-7	Fr.	Severna Park, Md.
15	Elizabeth Hampson	1B	5-8	Sr.	Warren, N.J.
18	Sarah Morse	IF	5-8	Fr.	Topeka, Kan.
20	Allison Bouknight	C-OF	5-5	Jr.	Duluth Ga.
21	Lindsey Fay	2B	5-1	Jr.	McLean, Va.
33	Lauren Myers	P	5-8	So.	Weddington, N.C.

Head Coach: Penny Siqueiros
Assistant Coaches: Jessica Seamon, Gary Anderson, Tamara Boggs

Endicott Gulls

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Kim Arel	OF	Jr.	Milford, N.H.
2	Megan Young	C	Jr.	Portland, Maine
3	Laura Schack	OF-P	Fr.	Milford, Conn.
5	Nicole Reather	IF-P	Fr.	Riverton, Utah
9	Laura Mangini	OF-P	Sr.	Gansevoort, N.Y.
11	Ashley Labella	IF-OF	Fr.	Saugus, Mass.
12	Elyse Colby	SS	Jr.	Manchester, N.H.
13	Kirstin Wing	OF	Jr.	Rutland, Vt.
14	Katie Doherty	IF-OF	Jr.	Saugus, Mass.
15	Kacy Beloin	IF	Sr.	Colebrook, N.H.
16	Megan Huckins	IF	So.	Bangor, Maine
18	Jennilee Danielson	OF	Jr.	Salisbury, Mass.
20	Adrienne Guzman	OF	Sr.	Methuen, Mass.
21	Robyn Savitske	P	Fr.	Hellertown, Pa.

Head Coach: Mark Veilleux
Assistant Coaches: Lili Doherty, Mark Kulakowski

Ithaca Bombers

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
6	Jackie McCorry	IF	5-1	Fr.	Hatboro, Pa.
7	Cat Ebert	IF	5-2	Fr.	Derwood, Md.
8	Leigh Bonkowski	OF	5-6	So.	Mystic, Conn.
9	Sara Coddington	2B-OF	5-6	Jr.	Clifton Park, N.Y.
10	Hannah Shalett	C	5-1	Fr.	Bridgewater, Conn.
11	Jenn Marro	OF	5-0	Fr.	Delmar, N.Y.
13	Amanda Illinger	OF	5-4	So.	Hanover, Conn.
14	Lindsay Bryar	P	5-10	Fr.	Moultonboro, N.H.
15	Kaitlyn Dulac	IF	5-5	So.	East Greenwich, R.I.
16	Cassie Roma	2B-OF	5-7	Fr.	Vestal, N.Y.
18	Meg Hannon	OF	5-5	Sr.	Cranford, N.J.
19	Mel Chinigo	IF-C	5-4	Fr.	Norwich, Conn.
20	Madeline Kraemer	C	5-9	Jr.	Newton, N.J.
22	Lindsay Galli	OF	5-2	Fr.	Williamstown, Mass.
23	Abbey Pelot	P	5-6	Jr.	Kirkville, N.Y.
25	Sara Durant	SS	5-7	Sr.	Vernon Center, N.Y.
27	Zahida Sherman	P	5-10	Fr.	Seattle, Wash.

Head Coach: Deb Pallozzi
Assistant Coaches: Robin Bimson, Tim Brusseau, Shara Freeman, Gregg Hepler, Sharon Mullins

King's (Pennsylvania) Lady Monarchs

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
3	Kelley Vaxmonsky	2B	5-4	Jr.	Jenkins, Pa.
5	Justine Maggio	OF	5-3	Fr.	Hazleton, Pa.
6	Nikki Kotula	P	5-2	Fr.	Dupont, Pa.
7	Tiffany Stead	C	5-4	Fr.	Sandyston, N.J.
10	Kristin Brady	C	5-5	Jr.	Mayfield, Pa.
11	Nicole Conger	P	5-5	Fr.	Columbus, N.J.
12	Ashley Sullivan	OF	5-5	So.	Enola, Pa.
15	Allison Pasick	OF	5-5	Fr.	Haskell, N.J.
16	Elizabeth Stella	OF	5-7	So.	Exeter, Pa.
19	Linda Manarchuck	OF	5-3	Sr.	Eynon, Pa.
20	Megan Adams	P	5-4	Jr.	Nanticoke, Pa.
21	Stacey Preambo	SS	5-7	Jr.	Jessup, Pa.
24	Cassy Shiffer	OF	5-7	So.	Tunkhannock, Pa.
25	Christen Piccola	3B	5-3	Sr.	Freehold, N.J.
26	Mari Valonis	OF	5-9	Fr.	Dickson City, Pa.
27	Sarah Genewski	P	5-8	Jr.	Palmerton, Pa.
33	Maria Zangardi	1B	5-6	Sr.	Pittston Township, Pa.

Head Coach: Lisa Gigliello
Assistant Coach: Joann Matt, Lisa Rizzo

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La Verne Leopards

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Kelley Silagyi	UT	So.	Chino, Calif.
3	A.J. Taggart	UT	Jr.	San Gabriel, Calif.
4	Ashley Savage	UT	So.	Rialto, Calif.
5	Amber Guerra	UT	Jr.	Pomona, Calif.
6	Mary Olson	P-UT	Fr.	Montclair, Calif.
8	Brenda Jeffers	UT	Fr.	Tigard, Ore.
12	Elaine Martinez	P-UT	Sr.	Rosemead, Calif.
13	Debbie Bugarin	UT	Fr.	Pomona, Calif.
15	Morgan Dobis	UT	Fr.	Big Bear, Calif.
16	Amanda Jones	P-UT	So.	Upland, Calif.
17	Suzy Riker	UT	Fr.	Diamond Bar, Calif.
22	Jessica DeGiacomo	UT	So.	Hacienda Heights, Calif.
25	Jennifer Stout	UT	Jr.	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.

Head Coach: Robin Haaker
Assistant Coaches: Kendra Navarro, Omar Fernandez

Lake Forest Foresters

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
3	Kim Silvers	UT	5-5	Fr.	Walton, Ind.
8	Kristen Proffitt	P	5-8	Fr.	Des Plaines, Ill.
11	Hannah Starck	OF	5-5	Jr.	Aurora, Ill.
13	Kristen Feeney	OF-3B	5-7	Jr.	Brookfield, Ill.
14	Stacey Nadelhoffer	UT	5-8	Fr.	Evergreen Park, Ill.
18	Leigh Anne Furgerson	P	5-8	Sr.	Carmel, Ind.
20	Melissa Wegner	IF-OF	5-5	So.	Chicago, Ill.
21	Ashley Closson	P-1B	5-8	So.	Murphysboro, Ill.
22	Justeen Streich	C	5-4	Jr.	Arlington Heights, Ill.
23	Mackenzie Knowling	P-OF	5-6	Fr.	Lafayette, Ind.
24	Alissa Mildebrath	IF	5-10	Jr.	Carol Stream, Ill.
25	Erin Watts	UT	5-5	Fr.	Evergreen Park, Ill.
33	Lisa Jeziorny	C	5-6	Fr.	Orland Park, Ill.
40	Jenny Riddle	IF	5-7	Fr.	Bloomington, Ill.

Head Coach: Tina Johnson
Assistant Coaches: Chris Pier, Jenn Reifenberg

Linfield Wildcats

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Lisa Smith	2B-OF	5-7	Fr.	Corvallis, Ore.
3	Nicole Hata	SS	5-1	So.	Ontario, Ore.
4	Amy Hammons	SS	5-7	So.	Bellingham, Wash.
5	Kelly Stewart	OF	5-9	So.	Banks, Ore.
6	Bethany Dobie	OF	5-8	So.	Willamina, Ore.
7	Molleigh Keenan	C-UT	5-10	Jr.	Kirkland, Wash.
8	Lindsay Fleischman	P-1B	5-8	Fr.	Beaverton, Ore.
9	Lindsey Manitsas	IF	5-4	Jr.	Newberg, Ore.
11	Jena Loop	C-OF	5-6	Fr.	The Dalles, Ore.
13	Alysun Burns	2B-OF	5-5	Fr.	Irrigon, Ore.
14	Stephanie Morgan	1B	5-7	So.	Portland, Ore.
15	Megan Monte	OF	5-7	Fr.	Oregon City, Ore.
16	Liz Coburn	P	5-9	Sr.	Albany, Ore.
17	Shelly Steinke	OF	5-8	So.	Canby, Ore.
21	Jessica Galaway	P-DH	5-9	So.	Beaverton, Ore.
22	Stephanie Dawkins	P-OF	5-8	Fr.	Corbett, Ore.
23	Michelle Morris	P	5-8	Jr.	Tillamook, Ore.
34	Sophia Roberts	OF	5-3	Fr.	Sherwood, Ore.
35	Jamie Bonser	3B	5-5	Fr.	Sherwood, Ore.

Head Coach: Jackson Vaughan
Assistant Coaches: Micki Vaughan, Kimo Mahi

Mary Baldwin Fighting Squirrels

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Aiysha Bethel	OF	Jr.	Miami, Fla.
2	Mina Uejima	SS	Fr.	Gose-City, Japan
3	Celeste Harvey	OF	Jr.	Tacoma Park, Md.
5	Tiffany Morris	OF	So.	Charlottesville, Va.
6	Denise Michael	P-2B	So.	Mt. Sidney, Va.
7	Janice Udy	OF	So.	Berryville, Va.
8	Jessicca Brown	C	Fr.	Waynesboro, Va.
9	Kelly Lally	IF	Jr.	Lutherville, Md.
10	Katie Spicer	3B	So.	Williamsburg, Va.
12	Mallory Anderson	P-3B	Fr.	Dayton, Va.
14	Jordan Armstrong	1B	Sr.	Chesterfield, Va.
18	Cheyenne Crawford	P-1B	Fr.	Staunton, Va.

Head Coach: Christy Shelton

Maryville (Missouri) Saints

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Abby Swartz	OF	So.	Pittsfield, Ill.
2	Amy O'Laughlin	OF-C	Fr.	Pacific, Mo.
3	Marissa Essner	P-UT	Jr.	Benton, Mo.
8	Amy Mohan	1B-OF	So.	Fenton, Mo.
9	Megan Porter	2B-OF	So.	Mt. Carmel, Ill.
10	Jennifer Kypta	CF	Sr.	Collinsville, Ill.
13	Brianne Haas	C-UT	So.	Albers, Ill.
14	Jennifer Richards	P-UT	Fr.	St. Peters, Mo.
15	Bree Urech	DH-3B	Sr.	St. Charles, Mo.
17	Kendra Campbell	2B-UT	Fr.	Swansea, Ill.
18	Jennifer Delf	OF	So.	Affton, Mo.
20	Heidi Patton	P-UT	Fr.	St. Clair, Mo.
25	Amanda Nuyt	IF	So.	Perryville, Mo.

Head Coach: Charlie Kennedy
Assistant Coaches: Bridget Fournie, Bob Abbott, Bonnie Hogenkamp

McDaniel Green Terror

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Samantha Abrams	P-SS	Sr.	North East, Md.
3	Blair Taylor	OF	Fr.	Ridley Park, Pa.
4	Mary Abrams	2B-P	Fr.	North East, Md.
5	Kristen Barrick	IF	Sr.	North East, Md.
7	Kim Camponelli	P-SS	Sr.	New Castle, Del.
8	Abby Cannistraci	OF	So.	Westminster, Md.
10	Christina Starcher	OF	Fr.	Woodbine, Md.
11	Heather Sinclair	OF	Sr.	Finksburg, Md.
12	Becky Wilde	C	So.	Schwenksville, Pa.
13	Lauren Cramer	OF-P	Sr.	Barrington, N.J.
14	Megan Mitchell	1B	So.	Ellicott City, Md.
15	Heather Donhauser	P	Fr.	Fallston, Md.
16	Kim Bloom	IF	Fr.	Reisterstown, Md.
17	Caitlin Burns	C	Jr.	Linthicum, Md.

Head Coach: George Dix
Assistant Coaches: Meredith Gill, Julie Backof

Merchant Marine Mariners

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jill Cookson	P	5-2	Jr.	29 Palms, Calif.
2	Dawn Ivancik	1B-C	5-8	Jr.	California, Md.
5	Jena Jeffries	3B	5-9	Sr.	West Columbia, S.C.
7	Melissa Langston	OF	5-2	Fr.	Houston, Texas
8	Liz Hagner	C-UT	5-6	Jr.	Freeland, Md.
9	Christina Penning	OF	5-6	Sr.	Freeport, Bahamas
10	Sandra Short	P-1B	5-8	Jr.	Richmond Hill, Ga.
11	Andrea Carey	IF	5-9	Fr.	Georgetown, Del.
12	Kathryn Tag	IF	5-7	Fr.	Havre de Grace, Md.
13	Lindsay Frasier	OF	5-4	Fr.	Aguanga, Calif.
15	Fionna Boyle	OF	5-4	Fr.	Pipersville, Pa.
16	Alison Martins	OF	5-3	Sr.	Severna Park, Md.
17	Jessica France	SS-UT	5-8	Jr.	Fairview Park, Ohio
18	Caitlin McCabe	OF	5-3	Fr.	Fort Bliss, Texas
19	Jeanne Klaine	IF	5-6	Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio
21	Libby Palker	IF	5-5	Jr.	Garfield Heights, Ohio
23	Jeanne Ferrer	IF	5-3	So.	Meraux, La.
33	Tori Millar	OF	5-8	Jr.	Allentown, Pa.
36	Laura Fong	OF	5-6	Fr.	Egg Harbor Township, N.J.

Head Coach: Heather Stone
Assistant Coaches: Amy Bowan, Doug Carter

Moravian Greyhounds

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Meagan Hennessy	P-OF	5-2	So.	Freehold, N.J.
3	LeeAnna Roberts	IF-OF	5-7	Fr.	Meshoppen, Pa.
4	Melissa Soroka	OF	5-7	Sr.	Newton, N.J.
5	Becky Thomas	P	5-6	Fr.	Laureldale, Pa.
6	Megan Smith	IF	5-4	Sr.	Phillipsburg, N.J.
7	Leah Holmes	IF	5-4	Jr.	Clarks Green, Pa.
8	Heather Bortz	SS	5-7	Jr.	Allentown, Pa.
9	Kira Weller	C-3B-OF	5-3	So.	Sinking Spring, Pa.
11	Danielle Carrione	C-OF	5-4	Fr.	Bloomfield, N.J.
12	Janelle Brey	IF-OF	5-10	Sr.	Allentown, Pa.
13	Krissy Cianfichi	OF	5-4	Jr.	Warrington, Pa.
14	Richelle McWilliams	1B	5-6	So.	Riegelsville, Pa.
16	Stephanie Eddinger	OF	5-3	Jr.	Allentown, Pa.
17	Rebecca DeJulio	1B	5-4	Fr.	Vineland, N.J.
18	Donna Weiner	P	5-2	Sr.	East Hanover, N.J.
21	Jessica Esposito	OF	5-3	Sr.	Madison, N.J.
25	Jenn Hastings	OF-C-1B	5-8	Sr.	Pottstown, Pa.
27	Lauren Homa	1B-OF	5-8	Fr.	Chalfont, Pa.

Head Coach: John Byrne
Assistant Coaches: Scot Dapp, Scott Hoke, Ron Cardinal, Becky Stroup, Erin Kelly

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Muskingum Fighting Muskies

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jessica Rowland	OF	So.	Warren, Ohio
2	Ashley Carpenter	2B-OF	Fr.	Senecaville, Ohio
3	Elaine Haubner	3B	So.	Hamilton, Ohio
4	Brittany Hess	UT	Fr.	Mount Vernon, Ohio
5	Erica Hoyt	P	So.	Tipp City, Ohio
6	Molly Jones	OF-3B	Fr.	Deerfield, Ill.
7	Lindsay Bramhall	OF-2B	So.	Dayton, Ohio
8	April Rader	IF	Jr.	Bucyrus, Ohio
9	Kim Tackett	OF-IF	Fr.	Canal Winchester, Ohio
10	Erin Calabrese	IF	Sr.	North Royalton, Ohio
11	Jennifer Shay	OF-3B	Sr.	Stow, Ohio
12	Jeanna Rayman	IF	Sr.	North Huntington, Pa.
13	Megan McGowan	UT	Fr.	Marion, Ohio
14	Jennifer Feldkircher	C	Sr.	Westlake, Ohio
15	Erin Zupko	OF	Sr.	Girard, Ohio
16	Shauna Jellison	UT	Sr.	Zanesville, Ohio
17	Nicole Blubaugh	C-1B	Jr.	New Lexington, Ohio
18	Tricia Kent	P	Fr.	Lyndhurst, Ohio
19	Amy Clauss	OF	Sr.	Cardington, Ohio
20	Julie Johnston	IF	So.	Coshocton, Ohio
21	Andrea Crow	P	Fr.	Copley, Ohio
23	Amy Iammarino	C	Fr.	Mantua, Ohio

Head Coach: Donna Newberry
Assistant Coaches: LeAnn Fonner, Jen Segner

Oneonta State Red Dragons

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jessica Slavin	OF	So.	Mohegan Lake, N.Y.
2	Lindsay Yacabucci	1B-OF	Fr.	Hopewell Junction, N.Y.
3	Michelle Norwich	C-DP	So.	Mohawk, N.Y.
4	Kacie Cunningham	UT-P	So.	New Hartford, N.Y.
5	Rena Finsmith	3B	Jr.	Elmsford, N.Y.
6	Liz Scimeca	P	Sr.	Sayville, N.Y.
8	Allison Bandos	IF	Fr.	Hagaman, N.Y
9	Kathy Caito	OF-C	Sr.	Geneva, N.Y.
10	Amy Kane	OF	Jr.	Mount Vision, N.Y.
11	Andrea Perez	P-3B	Fr.	Blauvelt, N.Y.
12	Amanda LaPolla	OF	Sr.	New Hartford, N.Y.
13	Erin Hodges	C-OF	Jr.	Watervliet, N.Y.
14	Erica Gifford	1B	So.	Clifton Park, N.Y.
15	Meagan Miller	OF-C	So.	East Amherst, N.Y.
16	Amy Herba	P	So.	Johnstown, N.Y.
18	Corinne Owenburg	2B	Fr.	Bethpage, N.Y.
20	Jen Paglia	C	Jr.	Apalachin, N.Y.
22	Sarah Place	SS	So.	Binghamton, N.Y.
24	Catrina Lurenz	IF	So.	Johnson City, N.Y.

Head Coach: Denise Marchese
Assistant Coaches: John Speranzi, Jesse Coughlan, Sandy Moxley, Karoline Palin

Ramapo Roadrunners

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
00	Shellie Guider	OF	5-2	Sr.	Jefferson, N.J.
1	Erica Moore	OF	5-3	So.	Hazlet, N.J.
2	Christina Traphagen	C	5-3	Sr.	Toms River, N.J.
3	Alicia Cruz	IF	5-3	Jr.	East Brunswick, N.J.
5	Jillian McCauley	C	5-9	So.	Eatontown, N.J.
6	Elizabeth Choma	OF	5-9	Fr.	East Brunswick, N.J.
7	Gemma Chalkley	OF	5-3	Fr.	West Milford, N.J.
8	Virginia O'Brien	IF	5-1	Fr.	Emerson, N.J.
9	Janine Pacyna	P	5-5	So.	Bayonne, N.J.
10	Marissa Marino	P	5-3	Fr.	Wayne, N.J.
11	Michele Rossi	IF	5-2	Fr.	Emerson, N.J.
12	Andrea Pastiglione	P-OF	5-6	So.	Southern California, Calif.
14	Tara O'Callahan	IF	5-6	Fr.	Barnegat, N.J.
15	Kate Levin	P-OF	5-5	Sr.	Barnegat, N.J.
17	Lisa Rizzo	C	5-7	So.	Dumont, N.J.
19	Courtney Gambetta	IF	5-3	Fr.	Woodbridge, N.J.
21	Valerie Malfi	P	5-7	Sr.	Mays Landing, N.J.
23	Jamie Anzaldi	P-IF	5-4	Sr.	Clifton, N.J.
25	Michelle Micklos	P-IF	5-5	Sr.	Tuxedo, N.Y.

Head Coach: Ben Allen
Assistant Coaches: Ed Micklos, Sal Anzaldi

Roanoke Maroons

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Robin O'Connor	2B	5-5	Jr.	Great Falls, Va.
2	Amy Gillis	P	5-9	Fr.	Lynchburg, Va.
3	Ashley Stocks	P	5-6	So.	Hamilton, Va.
4	Danielle Merkh	OF	5-4	Fr.	Norfolk, Va.
5	Emily Rackley	P	5-4	Fr.	Midlothian, Va.
7	Amy Zachary	3B-C	5-7	Sr.	Richmond, Va.
8	Ashley Pierce	OF	5-7	So.	Carrollton, Va.
9	Heather Briscoe	OF	5-7	So.	Rockville, Md.
10	Megan Fuller	OF	5-6	Fr.	Chatham, Va.
11	Kim Rowe	IF	5-8	Jr.	Hampton, Va.
15	Keri Johnson	C	5-5	So.	Broadnax, Va.
19	Crystal Berry	OF	5-4	Sr.	Timberville, Va.
20	Kasey Austin	OF	5-10	Fr.	Buchanan, Va.
21	Mary Thomas	SS	5-5	Sr.	Roanoke, Va.
22	Amy Alexander	IF	5-7	Fr.	Exmore, Va.
23	Veronica Kelly	OF	5-6	So.	Westport, Conn.
30	Molly Barnes	IF	5-7	Jr.	Warren, Ohio
33	Alicia Pryor	3B-C	5-6	Fr.	Richmond, Va.
44	Andrea Grams	3B-P-DP	5-5	So.	Northboro, Mass.

Head Coach: Alan Bayse

Rutgers-Camden Scarlet Raptors

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Megan Rulon	1B	6-2	So.	Sewell, N.J.
3	Celeste Chinappi	SS	5-3	Jr.	Bellmawr, N.J.
6	Sarah Solvibile	IF	5-4	So.	Deptford, N.J.
9	Tara Fisher	OF	5-3	Fr.	Upper Deerfield, N.J.
13	Erin James	OF-2B	5-7	Jr.	Gloucester, N.J.
14	Alaina Giles	3B-OF	5-7	Fr.	Willingboro, N.J.
15	Autumn Millett	OF	5-7	Fr.	Richwood, N.J.
16	Stacy Haas	2B	5-6	Fr.	Florence, N.J.
18	Becky Johnson	P-OF	5-9	Jr.	Bridgeton, N.J.
20	Mo Baney	C	5-7	Fr.	Deptford, N.J.
22	Kait Anzelone	C-OF	5-2	Fr.	Wildwood Crest, N.J.
24	Ashley O'Brien	1B	5-10	Fr.	Phoenixville, Pa.
34	Michelle Schlichtig	P-IF	5-4	So.	Barrington, N.J.

Head coach: Carl Taylor
Assistant coaches: Orville Johnson, Ted Betoni Jr.

St. Thomas (Minnesota) Tommies

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Carrie Embree	P-OF	Fr.	Waukee, Iowa
2	Michelle Wong	IF	Jr.	Golden Valley, Minn.
4	Kathleen Fitzpatrick	OF-IF	Sr.	Inver Grove Heights, Minn.
5	Melissa Konsti	OF	Sr.	Oakdale, Minn.
6	Janet Nagle	P-IB-OF	So.	Minnetonka, Minn.
7	Kristi Huegel	OF-IF	Jr.	Alta Vista, Iowa
9	Kristina Trapp	CF	So.	Jordan, Minn.
11	Nikki Conway	C-IF-OF	So.	Mendota Heights, Minn.
12	Ashley Carlblom	IF	So.	Eveleth, Minn.
15	Kaja Martinson	C-IF	Sr.	Burnsville, Minn.
16	Mandi Evans	P-IF-OF	Sr.	Prior Lake, Minn.
17	Colleen Fitzpatrick	C-OF	Sr.	Inver Grove Heights, Minn.
18	Kim Oatman	C-UT	Fr.	Bloomington, Minn.
19	Diane Baglien	IF	Fr.	Minneapolis, Minn.
20	Mandy Bowlby	OF	Sr.	Minneapolis, Minn.
21	Jena Greig	IF	Fr.	Pine City, Minn.
22	Emily Waage	P	Fr.	Duluth, Minn.
23	Meghan Hovick	C-UT	Sr.	Story City, Iowa
24	Katie Wiberg	IF	Jr.	Plymouth, Minn.
26	Amy Slama	IF	Fr.	Winnebago, Minn.

Head Coach: John Tschida
Assistant Coaches: Tim Gormley, Brad Horstman, Dana Ballard, Jen Meyer

Salisbury Sea Gulls

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Kim Rementer	C	Jr.	Denton, Md.
2	Eryn Mathews	OF	Jr.	Baltimore, Md.
3	Emily Ewald	3B	So.	Bay Shore, N.Y.
4	Tonya Nickerson	P-SS	Jr.	Silver Spring, Md.
5	Megan Ellzy	OF	So.	Bel Air, Md.
6	Suzy Gill	2B	So.	Reisterstown, Md.
7	Leslie White	OF	Jr.	Pittsville, Md.
8	Nichole Fuqua	2B	Fr.	Rockville, Md.
9	Sarah Lowery	P	Fr.	Joppatowne, Md.
10	Kristy Shaffer	IF	So	Manchester, Md.
11	Jodie Lehrer	1B-OF	Fr.	Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
12	Kareem Falcon	OF	Jr.	Severn, Md.
13	Serena Fleming	OF	Fr.	Hamilton, N.J.
14	Lacey Lister	P	So.	Denton, Md.
16	Rosie Aley	1B	Sr.	Aquasco, Md.
17	Erin Ruest	C-3B	So.	Waldorf, Md.
18	Tee Dronenburg	C	Fr.	Columbia, Md.

Head Coach: Margie Knight
Assistant Coaches: Dr. Tom Stitcher, Lisa Gentilella, Jason Carl

Sewanee (University of the South) Tigers

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
00	Kristin White	IF	5-5	Fr.	Hendersonville, Tenn.
2	Helen Wiersma	1B	6-1	Sr.	Okeechobee, Fla.
5	Garrett Marquardt	1B-OF	5-9	Jr.	Brentwood, Tenn.
6	Emily Foster	C-OF	5-2	So.	Scottsville, Ky.
7	Logan Westmoreland	IF	5-5	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.
8	Lauren Martin	C-OF	5-3	Fr.	Birmingham, Ala.
9	Katie Payne	IF	5-5	Fr.	Avondale Estates, Ga.
11	Lisa Rast	OF	5-4	Jr.	Hapeville, Ga.
12	Molly Moore	C	5-6	Jr.	Nashville, Tenn.
14	Sandy Kern	IF	5-7	Fr.	Warrior, Ala.
15	Eliza Herrera	IF	5-6	Jr.	Ardmore, Ala.
16	Joy Owens	OF	5-8	So.	North Little Rock, Ark.
19	Amy Owensby	P	5-5	Sr.	Hillsboro, Tenn.

Head Coach: Heather Windham

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Staten Island Dolphins

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Theresa Caputo	P-IF	5-6	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
3	Andrea Meise	OF-C	5-8	Fr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
4	Christina Pisanti	2B-OF	5-6	Fr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
5	Donna Przybyszewski	OF	5-4	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
7	Melissa Quiles	2B-OF	5-2	Jr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
8	Michelle Van Pelt	OF	5-3	So.	Staten Island, N.Y.
9	Andrea Lisi	C-OF	5-4	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
11	Theresa Tepedino	C-OF	5-6	So.	Staten Island, N.Y.
13	April Avena	OF-2B	5-1	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
16	Christina DArpa	P-IF	5-4	Fr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
18	Kristina Samaritano	OF	5-1	Fr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
20	Dana Glennerster	OF-1B	5-5	So.	Staten Island, N.Y.
22	Jennifer Doscher	SS	5-6	Jr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
23	Julie Lowe	P-1B	5-5	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
24	Jaclyn Badagliacco	OF	5-8	Sr.	Staten Island, N.Y.
31	Jennifer Carillo	OF-1B	5-6	So.	Staten Island, N.Y.

Head Coach: Stella Porto
Assistants: Charles Mattera, Alex Richardson

Union (New York) Dutchwomen

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
7	Julie Gawronski	OF	5-6	So.	Dunkirk, N.Y.
8	Sarah Conant	OF-C	5-5	So.	Dallas, Texas
9	Colleen White	2B	5-4	Fr.	Westport, Conn.
10	Elise Nichols	3B	5-5	Fr.	Pittsfield, Mass.
11	Melissa Marra	1B	5-6	Jr.	Mechanicville, N.Y.
12	Stephanie Rubino	3B	5-4	So.	Port Chester, N.Y.
14	Alicia Gifford	C	5-9	So.	Schenectady, N.Y.
15	Beth Carcone	SS	5-3	So.	Utica, N.Y.
17	Abby Arceneaux	P	5-7	So.	Mechanicville, N.Y.
18	Caitlin DelZotto	OF	5-3	So.	Altamont, N.Y.
20	Jackie Coffey	P	5-3	So.	Boston, Mass.
21	Erika Eisenhut	OF	5-4	So.	Mohawk, N.Y.
22	Jessica Lawton	1B	5-10	Jr.	Weare, N.H.
25	Katie Ratner	OF	5-7	So.	Smithtown, N.Y.

Head Coach: Peter Brown
Assistant Coach: Brian Speck

Washington (Missouri) Bears

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Monica Hanono	IF	So.	San Diego, Calif.
2	Jackie Burgdorf	C	Jr.	Cincinnati, Ohio
3	Ashley Gaia	OF	So.	Chesterland, Ohio
4	Lexie Kuznick	OF	Sr.	Bethesda, Md.
5	Dionna Little	IF	So.	Plano, Texas
6	Leslie Meyer	OF	Fr.	Mankato, Minn.
7	Amanda Roberts	OF	So.	St. Louis, Mo.
8	Erin Wolf	C-IF	Fr.	Evansville, Ind.
9	Victoria Ramsey	P	Jr.	Pinckneyville, Ill.
10	Jamie Kressel	C-UT	Fr.	Miami, Fla.
11	Abby Morgan	P	Fr.	Boca Raton, Fla.
12	Maggie Cousins	OF	Sr.	New Albany, Ohio
13	Liz Swary	IF	Jr.	Cleveland, Ohio
14	Becky Chmielewski	C	Sr.	Muskego, Wis.
17	Kat Witherspoon	OF	So.	Johnson City, Tenn.
18	Tierney Bryce	IF	So.	Tulsa, Okla.
20	Ashley Johnson	P	So.	Grand Blanc, Mich.
21	Laurel Sagartz	P-UT	Fr.	Albuquerque, N.M.
22	Lorri Fehlker	P	Sr.	Barnhart, Mo.
24	Stephanie Sheppard	C-IF	So.	St. Louis, Mo.

Head Coach: Cindy Zelinsky
Assistant Coaches: Angie Dahl, Mandy Klein, Brett Swip

Western Connecticut State Colonials

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Cathleen Knapp	OF	Sr.	Monroe, Conn.
2	Meg Cirigliano	P-IF	Fr.	Newington, Conn.
3	Holly Szymanski	OF	So.	Wallingford, Conn.
4	Julia Wullen	C-OF	Fr.	Bergenfield, N.J.
6	Mallory Zenkus	SS	So.	Seymour, Conn.
7	Julie Kovach	P	Fr.	Meriden, Conn.
8	Rachel Hadyka	OF	So.	East Hartford, Conn.
9	Emily Cullen	C-3B	So.	Bethel, Conn.
10	Jess Cioffi	OF	So.	Danbury, Conn.
12	Rachel Jones	1B	So.	Watertown, Conn.
13	Melissa Walsh	1B	Jr.	Hamden, Conn.
14	Katie Wardlow	2B	Sr.	Old Bridge, N.J.
15	Christine Valie	C	Sr.	Waterbury, Conn.
18	Brooke Morris	P	Jr.	Stamford, Conn.
19	Jennifer Caveney	OF	Sr.	Keene, N.H.
20	Kaitlin Nocera	3B	Jr.	Lindenhurst, N.Y.
21	Lauren Macdonald	IF	Fr.	Ridgefield, Conn.
22	Dez Lanphear	OF	Jr.	Danbury, Conn.
25	Laura Benedetto	IF	Fr.	Stratford, Conn.
32	Kristy Swanson	P-OF	So.	Danbury, Conn.

Head Coach: Alicia O'Brien
Assistant Coaches: Dawn Zuccarelli, Tricia Blood, Kate Manning

Team Information

2004 NCAA Division III Softball Championship Participants

Western New England Golden Bears

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Rachel Bisi	OF	5-4	Fr.	Portland, Conn.
4	Jen Piorkowski	1B-OF	5-7	So.	Trumbull, Conn.
5	Kristy Farnan	OF	5-6	So.	Enfield, Conn.
7	Erin Whitcomb	1B	5-7	So.	Bellows Falls, Vt.
8	Tricia Troiano	OF	5-3	Jr.	Stewart Manor, N.Y.
9	Toni D'Ambrosio	OF	5-1	So.	East Haven, Conn.
10	Sara Cavolo	2B	5-1	Sr.	Centerport, N.Y.
11	Stephanie Gildart	IF	5-3	Fr.	Portland, Maine
12	Michelle Boss	C	5-3	Jr.	Fremont, N.H.
14	Megan Cloutier	P	5-5	So.	Greenfield, Mass.
15	Becky McHugh	3B	5-7	Sr.	Ballston Spa, N.Y.
16	Nancy Bajek	1B	5-7	Fr.	New Haven, Conn.
18	Melissa Ezold	C	5-1	Fr.	York, Maine
19	Kristy Kehoss	SS-C	5-8	So.	Cheshire, Conn.
20	Meredith Reilly	1B	5-10	Fr.	Fairport, N.Y.
21	Chrissy Locascio	OF	5-6	Jr.	Queens, N.Y.
22	Sarah Moisao	2B	5-1	Jr.	Harwinton, Conn.
24	Jackie Shedlock	P-1B	5-6	Jr.	Oak Ridge, N.J.
25	Jessica Nelson	3B	5-8	Fr.	South Hadley, Mass.
27	Holly Coutinho	P	5-4	Jr.	New Bedford, Mass.
28	Kelly Berkmoes	OF	5-3	Fr.	Southington, Conn.

Head Coach: Lori Mayhew
Assistant Coach: Kate Farry

Wheaton (Massachusetts) Lyons

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Jessica Foster	OF	5-5	Jr.	Sidney, Maine
3	Keely Nowosacki	3B-C	5-3	Fr.	Shrewsbury, Mass.
4	Courtney Prior	2B	5-4	Jr.	Holliston, Mass.
5	Lori Hill	C-3B	5-3	Sr.	Chestnut Hill, Mass.
6	Nicole Lachance	SS	5-4	Fr.	Rochester, N.H.
7	Maggie Spaziano	OF	5-3	Jr.	Norton, Mass.
8	Brittany Ames	P	5-3	So.	Conway, N.H.
9	Amy Rowbottom	P	5-10	So.	Norridgewock, Maine
15	Meghan Malloy	OF	5-9	Jr.	Cumberland, R.I.
16	Sarah Malloy	1B	5-9	Jr.	Cumberland, R.I.
17	Brianna Shawah	SS	5-4	Sr.	Pompton Plains, N.J.
20	Kate Malloy	C	5-10	Jr.	Cumberland, R.I.
21	Carmella Ranieri	OF	5-2	Sr.	Framingham, Mass.
23	Jackie Demling	P	5-6	Sr.	Norwood, Mass.
24	Amanda Dow-Allen	SS-OF	5-6	Sr.	Greenfield, Mass.
25	Jessica Depolito	1B	5-7	Fr.	Taunton, Mass.
27	Helen Morway	IF	5-2	Fr.	Dudley, Mass.

Head Coach: Gina Loudenburg
Assistant Coaches: Jill D'Arcy, Bob Roscoe, Amy Sassin

Williams Ephs

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown
2	Laura Noel	1B	So.	Houston, Texas
3	Beth Mulligan	P-UT	Jr.	Clark, N.J.
4	Liz Gluck	P-OF	Jr.	Wappingers Falls, N.Y.
5	Johanna Rodriguez	3B	Sr.	Brooklyn, N.Y.
6	Katelyn Knox	C-OF	Fr.	Great Falls, Va.
7	Clara Hard	P	So.	Seattle, Wash.
8	Christine Williams	UT	So.	Albany, N.Y.
9	Regine Lim	OF	Fr.	San Mateo, Calif.
10	Marisa Cabrera	C-UT	Fr.	Brooklyn, N.Y.
11	Kerri McMahon	SS	Jr.	Denville, N.J.
12	Cathleen Clark	OF	Fr.	Plymouth, N.H.
14	Carly Massey	OF	Sr.	Hyannis, Mass.
15	Melissa Vandermyn	UT	So.	Springfield, Mass.
18	Mary Baccash	C	Jr.	Evanston, Ill.
19	Beth Lorge	IF	Fr.	North Adams, Mass.
25	Alana Frost	2B	So.	Oakland, Calif.

Head Coach: Kris Herman
Assistant Coaches: Sue Plankey, Neil Sinclair

Wisconsin-Superior Yellowjackets

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Jamie Bang	OF	5-5	So.	Hermantown, Minn.
3	Tiffiani Anderson	2B	5-5	So.	Cloquet, Minn.
4	Anne Lebard	OF	5-9	Fr.	Superior, Wis.
5	Katie Beadles	OF	5-4	Jr.	Chanhassen, Minn.
6	Kathleen Duffy	OF	5-6	So.	Superior, Wis.
7	Courtney Pulsifer	3B	5-5	So.	Minnetonak, Minn.
9	Melissa Nelmark	OF	5-5	Sr.	Duluth, Minn.
10	Abby Glawe	P	5-5	Sr.	Horicon, Wis.
13	Monica Brzezinski	1B	5-8	So.	Wausau, Wis.
14	Amy Jo Stach	SS	5-7	So.	Becker, Minn.
15	Erin Kegley	3B	5-5	Fr.	Inver Grove Heights, Minn.
17	Jenny Archambault	OF	5-5	Fr.	Sheboygan, Wis.
20	Sarah Tarasewicz	C	5-6	Jr.	Hurley, Wis.
24	Katie Moench	P	5-6	Fr.	Carlton, Minn.
33	Kristi Jurek	P	5-7	Jr.	Cloquet, Minn.
43	Alison Ohms	OF	5-8	Fr.	Esko, Minn.
47	Erin Campbell	C	5-5	Fr.	Kewanee, Wis.

Head Coach: Roger Plachta
Assistant Coach: Mike Sylvester

Championship History

Results from the Division III Softball Championship

Team Champions

Year	Champion (Record)	Coach	Score	Runner-Up	Host or Site	Championship Game Attendance	Championship Total Attendance
1982	*Eastern Conn. St. (27-10)	Clyde Washburne	2-0	TCNJ	TCNJ	—	1,217
1983	TCNJ (41-7)	June Walker	7-0	Buena Vista	Eastern Conn. St.	300	2,575
1984	*Buena Vista (29-8-1)	Marge Willadsen	3-1	TCNJ	St. Norbert	—	2,509
1985	Eastern Conn. St. (39-9)	Clyde Washburne	1-0	TCNJ	Eastern Conn. St.	800	3,084
1986	Eastern Conn. St. (36-11)	Clyde Washburne	1-0	Central (Iowa)	Buena Vista	—	2,529
1987	*TCNJ (46-3)	June Walker	1-0	Wis.-Whitewater	Eastern Conn. St.	200	2,567
1988	Central (Iowa) (35-10)	George Wares	3-2	Allegheny	Elmhurst	75	1,950
1989	*TCNJ (46-3)	June Walker	8-7 (9 inn.)	Eastern Conn. St.	TCNJ	—	3,323
1990	Eastern Conn. St. (34-5)	Jeff Anderson	1-0	TCNJ	Buena Vista	333	3,019
1991	*Central (Iowa) (42-6)	George Wares	4-0	Eastern Conn. St.	Eastern Conn. St.	800	4,182
1992	*TCNJ (48-2)	June Walker	4-0	Buena Vista	Central (Iowa)	400	2,521
1993	*Central (Iowa) (38-2)	George Wares	7-3	TCNJ	Millikin	194	3,388
1994	*TCNJ (48-4)	June Walker	6-5	Bridgewater St.	Salem, Va.	470	5,228
1995	*Chapman (43-5)	Lisle Lloyd	4-2	TCNJ	Buena Vista	500	3,858
1996	TCNJ (41-3)	Sally Miller	7-2	Chapman	Salem, Va.	617	3,927
1997	Simpson (39-7)	Henry Christowski	2-1 (9 inn.)	Montclair St.	Eau Claire, Wis.	475	3,417
1998	Wis.-Stevens Point (43-15)	Dean Shuda	3-1	Chapman	Salem, Va.	628	6,860
1999	Simpson (47-4-1)	Henry Christowski	6-0	Chapman	Eau Claire, Wis.	200	8,824
2000	St. Mary's (Minn.) (40-6)	John Tschida	5-0	Chapman	Salem, Va.	354	7,425
2001	Muskingum (47-6)	Donna Newberry	4-1	Central (Iowa)	Eau Claire, Wis.	350	8,308
2002	Ithaca (37-13)	Deb Pallozzi	1-0	Lake Forest	Eau Claire, Wis.	150	7,369
2003	Central (Iowa) (39-5-1)	George Wares	5-3	Salisbury	Salem, Va.	487	7,375

**Indicates undefeated teams in finals series.*

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Central (Iowa) captured the 2003 Division III Softball Championship.

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Grand Slam Finale

Hughes leads Central (Iowa) to softball title

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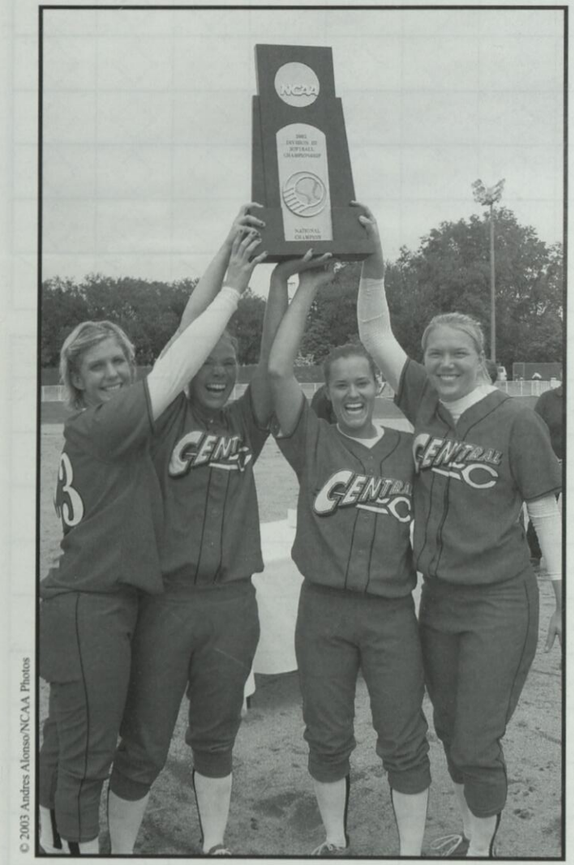
Kris Hughes of Central (Iowa) experienced the perfect ending to her senior season as she hit a grand slam home run in the bottom of the fifth inning to lead her team to a 5-3 win over Salisbury in the 2003 Division III Softball Championship game in Salem, Virginia.

The championship was the fourth for the Dutch and their first since 1993. This was Central's 18th consecutive year in the championship bracket.



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Central (Iowa) seniors Libby Hysell, Marcy Vande Hoef, Kris Hughes and April Miller hoist the national championship trophy following a 5-3 win over Salisbury to win the Division III Softball Championship.

Play was delayed several times during championship week by storms, which caused the tournament format to be altered. Central worked its way through the loser's bracket, winning five straight games to earn the title. The Dutch had to beat Salisbury, which entered the final day as the only undefeated team left in the bracket, twice.

"At the time (of the rain delays), we were frustrated, but I knew that it was probably to our advantage," Central coach George Wares said. "We had a day to recover. We knew we needed to win the game — we had to win the first game (against Salisbury) to have a shot."

"It was awesome," Hughes said of the dramatic finish. "I can't describe the feeling and I know of no better way to finish off my senior season. It was a great feeling to see coach when I passed third. I was simply looking for a pitch to hit."

In addition to the heroics at the plate by Hughes, Central also got strong efforts from Holly Edwards, who was 2-for-2 with a run scored. Bri Kuyper and Kristin Wares also went 1-for-3 and added an RBI.

The championship was the first win for freshman pitcher Amanda Wilson. Central's Libby Hysell earned her third save of the year, pitching three innings, giving up one run on four hits and fanning three.

Lacey Lister took the loss for Salisbury, throwing five innings, giving up five runs on seven hits and walking two. Katie Mullinix pitched the final inning, allowing one hit and striking out two.

Championship Game Box Score

Salisbury	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	A
Lisa Gentilella, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0	3
Kate Garland, ss	3	1	2	1	0	0	1
Katie Mullinix, rf/p	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Rosie Aley, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Kristin Rementer, pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kristy Shaffer, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	1	0
Erin Ruest, dh	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Leslie White, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Megan Ellzy, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Kim Rementer, c	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
Lacey Lister, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Erin Hart, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	25	3	6	3	2	4	7

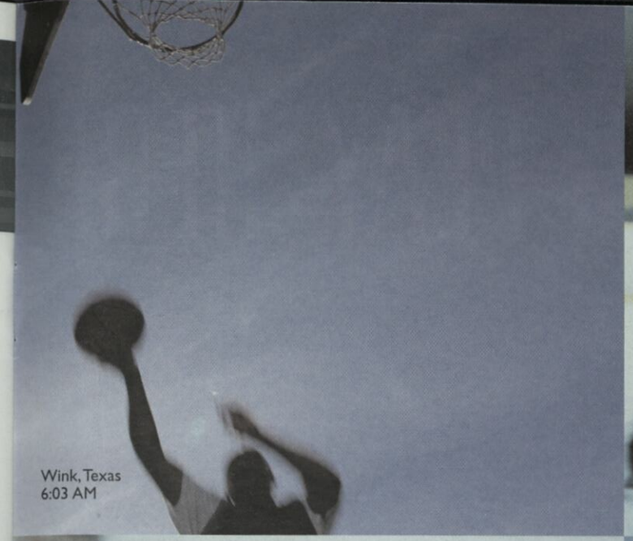
Central (Iowa)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	A
Anne Legg, 1b	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
Shelly Tomlinson, pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bri Kuyper, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
Kris Hughes, rf	3	1	1	4	0	0	0
Katy Lein, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0	5
Stef Miller, c	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mary Vande Hoef, pr	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sara Tuttle, dh	3	0	1	0	0	1	0
Shauna Dyjak, pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Holly Edwards, 1f	2	1	2	0	1	0	0
Kristin Wares, 2b	3	1	1	0	0	1	1
Becky Hedges, pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beth Peterson, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
Libby Hysell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Corrie Schmidt, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
April Miller, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amanda Wilson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTALS	24	5	8	5	2	2	11

E — Kuyper, Wares, Schmidt. DP — Salisbury 1. LOB — Salisbury 8; Central (Iowa) 3. HR — Hughes 3. SH — Garland, Ellzy, Kim Rementer. SF — Mullinix, Ruest. SB — Peterson. CS — Peterson.

Salisbury	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Lister (L)	5.0	7	5	5	2	0	20	22
Mullinix	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	4	4

Central (Iowa)	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Hysell	3.0	4	1	0	1	3	12	15
Schmidt	0.1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
Miller	0.2	0	0	0	1	0	2	4
Wilson (W)	3.0	2	1	0	0	1	10	11

WP — Lister. PB — Kim Rementer, Stef Miller. T — 1:48. Attendance — 487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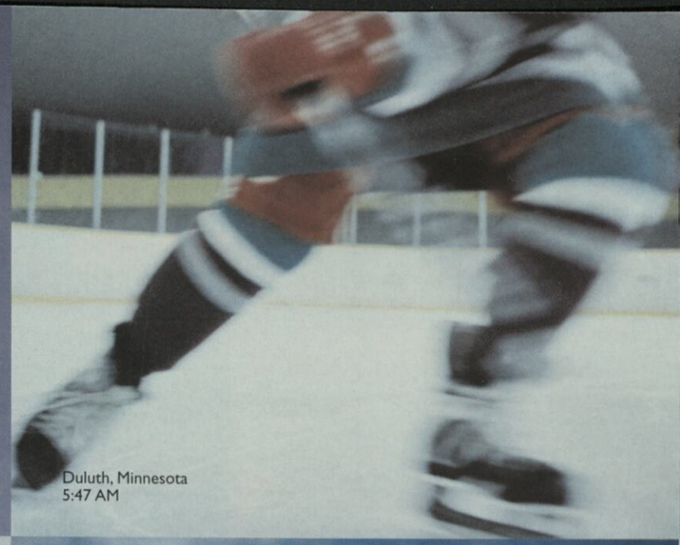
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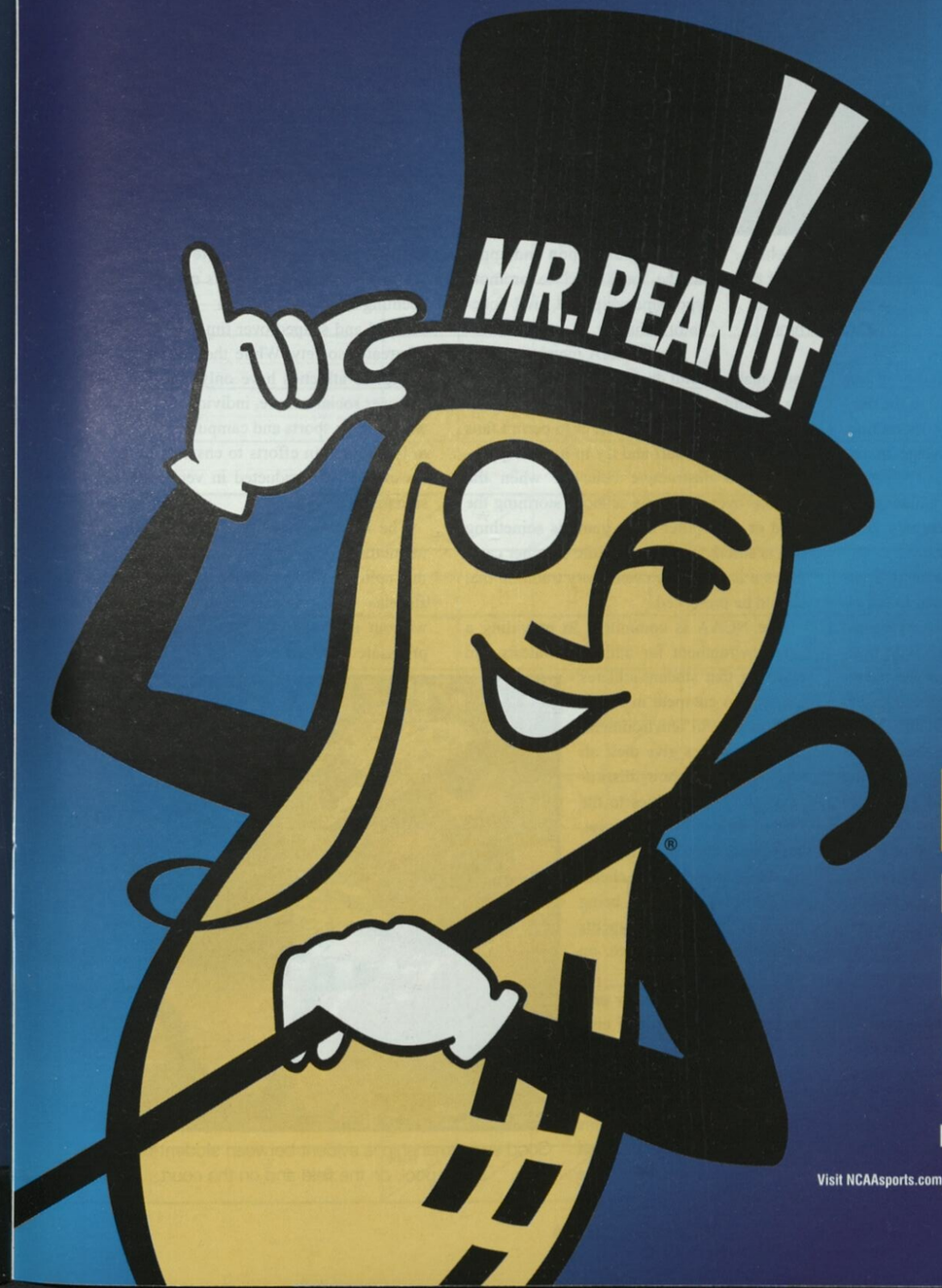

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Sportsmanship and Fan Behavior Summit

Summit examines issues related to fan violence at sporting events

By Mike Earle

You see it at nearly every big football or basketball game. The home team pulls off an upset or defeats its archrival and fans storm the field or court to celebrate. In recent years the practice has increased with dangerous frequency.

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Curbing rowdy fan behavior is one of the goals of a recent NCAA summit.

Many of these celebrations have led to property destruction as frenzied mobs of fans defy security and safety efforts to wreak havoc on stadiums, arenas and property of the school's surrounding community. In the anonymity of large crowds, incivility in our society is acted out with disregard to the danger of personal injury or property destruction.

Why do students and fans engage in unsportsmanlike, aggressive or criminal behavior?

Nearly 150 representatives of athletics and college administrators met in February 2003 in Dallas to try to find an answer.

The Sportsmanship and Fan Behavior Summit sought to examine issues related to fan violence at sporting events, raise awareness about the dangers associated with wild postgame celebrations that turn riotous and identify practices to reduce behavior that can lead to personal injury or property destruction.

The summit identified actions that can ensure appropriate fan behavior before, during and after the game. It produced guidelines and recommendations centered on the campus environment, community relations, student and fan behavior, alcohol abuse, coach and player behavior, and the role and responsibility of the media in helping create a safe environment without stemming the enthusiasm and numerous positive traditions associated with college sports.

During the 2003 season, more than 46 million fans attended college football games and more than 40 million people went to NCAA basketball games during the 2002-03 season.

Although the summit produced many recommendations that promote sportsmanship and a safe environment for college athletics contests, spectator aggression is a complex and multidimensional topic. No national policy can eliminate many of the issues surrounding unruly celebrations. The issues, circumstances and tradition of the sport are different from one campus to another.

However, the summit provided a foundation that personnel at campuses across the nation can build upon and apply at the local level to promote sportsmanship and civil spectator behavior.

Each NCAA member school must make careful decisions about whether to try to limit all access to the football field or basketball court after games, or to permit fans on the field or court and try to limit inappropriate and destructive behavior when the game is over. For some schools, storming the field or court after a big game is something that is strictly prohibited, while on other campuses it is a positive celebratory tradition that should be preserved.

The NCAA is committed to providing a safe environment for athletics contests and ensuring that student-athletes are able to compete in a safe and respectful environment. Student-athletes give their all and represent their institutions and communities to the best of their ability. Likewise, supporters should be encouraged to give their all by cheering for their teams and being proud of the accomplishments student-athletes achieve on the field or court.

In an effort to further promote sportsmanship and civil spectator support, the NCAA is assisting schools and conferences in making decisions to ensure that athletics events are conducted in a safe, yet supportive environment. The NCAA national office is acting as a type of clearinghouse of information on sportsmanship and fan behavior.

Through the work done at the 2003 summit, case studies and areas of emphasis that promote sportsmanship were published and made available in a report to NCAA members and conferences. (The report is available at http://www.ncaa.org/sportsmanship/).

Sports pervade the American culture. Many Americans spend much of their time talking or reading about college sports as well as their discretionary income to attend sporting events. Intercollegiate athletics does not function in a vacuum. Its qualities — redeeming as well as harmful — have been developed and shaped over time by the culture of greater society. While those within intercollegiate athletics have only marginal control over social culture, individuals associated with college sports and campuses have a duty to be diligent in efforts to ensure that athletics events are conducted in venues that are safe and positive.

The NCAA stands ready to help each of its member schools to encourage and ensure that college sports supporters honor student-athletes with applause and celebration — without the needless destruction and inappropriate behavior.

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Good sportsmanship is evident between student-athletes in the pool, on the field and on the court.

Scorecards

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Totals	Runs / Hits										

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